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NICOSIA, Sept 24, (Agencies): King Fahd warned (oday tha:

anyone trying to sabotage the annual Muslim pilgrimage to Saudi Arabia's holy Muslim city

of Makkah would be punished

according to God's law - with

the law of God on anyone whose

soul permits him to disrupt

security and harm pilgrims." the

king told newspaper editors in a

Agency (SPA) said he was res-

ponding to messages of support

after the execution on Thursday

of 16 Kuwaitis, convicted of planting bombs during the pil-

grimage last July.

SPA said princes, clergymen and officials were still sending

messages of gratitude to the

king's brother, Interior Minister

Prince Nayef, congratulating him on implementing "the just

law of God against the traitor

Saudi Arabia, which imposes

Islamic Sharia laws, added terrorism and sabotage to its list

of capital crimes in 1988. Four

nationals with alleged Iranian

links were beheaded last Septem-

ber 30 for attempting to blow up

Society board cut

The Minister of Social Affairs and Labour Sheikh

Naser Mohammed Al Ahmad

has dissolved the present board of Social Culture Society and

appointed a temporary board

headed by Dr Saleh Ali Hassan

The new nominated board was

asked to hold a meeting within 24 hours of being notifield of the

ministerial decision. The order prohibited withdrawing any

funds deposited in local banks

without signature of the new

chairman of the society and the

According to the order the

temporary board should call for

the annual meeting of the general

assembly of the society within

two months from end of the fiscal

Tehran talks ■ The newly appointed Iranian Ambassador to Kuwait Hussein

Sadeki last night met with Iran-

ian President Hashemi Rafsan-

The Iranian President, Raf-

sanjani stressed the importance

of strengthening friendly rela-

tions between Iran and countries

of the Arabian Gulf especially

that the area is witnessing a new

Rafsanjani hoped that the new

Iranian ambassador to Kuwait

succeeds in finding a suitable platform to establish friendly

Kuwaitis return

■ Nine Kuwaitis acquitted on

charges of involvement in bomb-

ings in Makkah have returned

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Four other Kuwaitis were

newspapers reported today.

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The official Saudi Press

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## Opec split deep on price, quota

### 'The more we give, the more they ask'

GENEVA, Sept 24, (Reuter); Opec oil ministers are wide apart on new ideas for a prices and production accord that could reunite the oil group and give prices a modest boost,

Ministers of the 13-nation Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries, in a second day of talks, had before them a position paper by their secretariat, conference sources repor-

It said Opec could reach its target on an average world crude oil price of \$18 per barrel if it capped its supply to the market at 21 to 21.5 million barrels daily for the next six months - provided all members stuck to

Current prices are around a dollar below the target — despite surprisingly strong world-wide demand for petrol and other refinery products — largely because two Arab Gulf states, Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates, are violating their quotas.

**Aircraft** 

in India;

explodes

NEW DELHI, Sept 24, (AP): A

twin-engine plane exploded and tumbled into a dam in southern

India and all 11 people aboard were feared dead, airfine officials

Officials of the domestic carrier Vayudoot said the Dor-

nier aircraft exploded last night

about half an hour after takeoff

from Poons support and fell into the Unam dam on the Bhims

river, about 135 kilometres (98

Aviation authorities called in

navy divers to try and retrieve the

bodies of the eight passengers

and three crew members, who

Hyderabad. Police and inves-

tigators ruled out any chances of

survivors. The arrive said all the

to retrieve the aircraft's fuselage

from 30 feet (10 metres) of

The Press Trust of India,

quoted officials and eyewitnesses

as saying the plane exploded in mid-air, and that the flaming bits

of the aircraft showered down

Pieces of human flesh were

found floating in the water, but

no bodies have been recovered so

far, the news agency said. The

largest limb recovered was a hand.

Authorities sent about 30

swimmers and six boats to the

accident site to retrieve the

bodies and wreckage of the air-craft from the 30-foot deep

Officials in the southern city of

Hyderabad arranged a special relief plane to ferry 25 relatives of

four passengers aboard the flight.

**Kuwaiti kills** 

wife, himself

AKUWAITI national identified

as Abdul Wahab M. reportedly killed his wife identified as

Amina A — aiso a Kuwaiti

national. The murder is said to

have taken place in the couple's

of Wahab inside his car — his

death had been reported to be "a

The public relations department at the Ministry of the

Interior said that preliminary investigations revealed that the

man was unemployed and was

being treated at the Psychiatric

Investigations are under

We live longer

WASHINGTON, Sept 24, (UPI):

risen from 42.7 to 69.9 years.

Security men found the body

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muddy water, officials said.

Rescue teams also were trying

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said today.

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They say their quotas are unfairly low. The more we give them the more they ask for," one highly-placed Third World delegate complained in the lobby.

Eyen at these cretariat's mooted upper limit

of 21.5 million barrels, delegates said the declared export ambitions of Kuwait and the UAE could not be accommodated without others conceding some of their share.

Signals from the Saudi camp suggest that the biggest exporter will not budge from its present 25 per cent while Libya wants the same quota as Kuwait, annoying Kuwaitis who reckon the Libyans are already produc-

ing near capacity.

Opec could postpone any decision to its next meeting, due on November 25, and con-

tinue the present agreement.
This sets a notional ceiling of 19.5 million barrels daily, with Kuwait and the UAE dissenting and producing as they please. Actual Opec supply is close to 22 million and, alth-

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ough prices are a little below what most cashstrapped members want, they haven't crashed as they did in 1986.

But the ministers of Algeria and Libya say they oppose raising the present ceiling until prices hit \$18.

Alternatively Opec could make a compromise-within-a-compromise, raising the ceiling to, say, 20.5 million, and distributing the quota increases on the straight pro rata basis rejected by Kuwait and the UAE.

Delegates said those two would presumably go on exceeding mandated limits but at least some of the present excess output, including small above-quota volumes from members like the Saudis, would be

Ministers met bilaterally in hotel suite bargaining sessions during the day ahead of a planned session of all 13 of them at 1500

## Amirpoints to Arab fate

### Panel due on water project

BAGHDAD, Sept 24, (Agencies): HH the Amir, on the second day of his three-day visit to Iraq, held official talks with President Saddam Hussein, today.

The talks centred on bilateral relations and ways of improving them. The talks also touched on current developments in the Arab arena, official sources said.

At the beginning of the talks, Saddam warmly welcomed the Amir. He expressed appreciation for the stand taken by the Kuwaiti government during the eight years of war

between Iran and Iraq and called it "courageous" and "brotherly."

The Amir, commended Iraq and blessed its victories and said the Kuwaiti stand during the war was derived from its national feeling and its belief in the common Arab fate.

Seyassah of Kuwait reported today that a ranking Iraqi delegation will visit Kuwait next month as part of contacts bet-ween the two countries on a project for pumping water from Iraq to Kuwait. The paper quoted Iraqi sour-

ces as saying both sides to the talks would present fresh proposals regarding the project, which is expected to provide Kuwait with water for domestic

Iraq suggested that Kuwait cosponsor a plan to pump water from the Garraf river, off the Iraqi city of Naserriyah, to Kuwait and the southern Iraqi port city of Basra, the paper said.

Iraq will finance the part of the project which runs along its territories while Kuwait pays forthe remaining portion, it

Kuwait has agreed in principle to the Iraqi proposal under which it will be receiving 500 million gallons of water for domestic use, Al Seyassah said.

Kuwait, with a poor rate of rainfall, will, however, press for a speedy implementation of a plan under which it will get irrigation water from Iraq, according to the

Meanwhile, Iraq said earlier today talks with the Amir would help end regional disputes.

The official Iraqi News Agency quoted First Deputy Prime Minister Taha Yassin Ramadan as saying the talks would strengthen peace hopes between Iran and Iraq and help achieve "unity and sovereignty for the Lebanese people and legitimate rights for the Palestin-

It quoted him as telling a Kuwaiti newspaper that the Amir's visit had "reaffirmed the (Continued on Page 9)



### Amir decorated for support

HH the Amir of Kuwait was awarded a medal yesterday by President Saddam Hussein of Iraq to thank him for his country's support during the eight-year Gulf

The Amir, was awarded the highest Rafidian Medal for "his special and distinguished position ... in defence of Iraq against the dangers coming from the

During the ceremony, the Iraqi President described Kuwait as being in the forefront of Arab countries that "early on realised the dangers the war posed

## **UTA** chip to check Iran

### 'Jet bombed to foil Rafsanjani'

LONDON, Sept 24, (Agencies): Iran fears that Islamic extremists blew up a French airliner over the African desert last week to sabotage President Hashemi Rafsanjani's overtures toward the West which could lead to the release of Western hostages, the Sunday Times of London repor-

Peace is a reality

Lebanese soldiers and officials welcome passen-

gers of the first Middle East Airlines (MEA) to Beirut

since the closure of the airport March 11 due to

The newspaper said in a report from Paris the Iranian government fears Islamic zealots blew up the DC-10 and later posed as Islamic Jihad, the pro-Iranians, Muslim group, when they claimed responsibility.

All 171 passengers and crewmembers on UTA flight 772 en route from Brazzaville, Congo. to Paris died when the plane exploded on Tuesday over eas-

tern Niger. The Sunday Times quoted unidentified sources close to the Iranian government as saying Iran wants the release of all 16 Western hostages in Lebanon. It said Iran also proposes freeing an Israeli-co-pilot captured three

In return, Iran seeks the release of Sheikh Abdul Karim Obeid, captured by Israeli commandos in July and 500 Lebanese and Palestinians held by Israel, and the release of billions of dollars of assets frozen in the United States, the newspaper

Leaders of 15 pro-Iranian and Syrian organisations were meeting in Tehran during the weekend to hear details of Rafsanjani's new policies toward the West, the Sunday Times said. The Iranian government plans to present the package to the United States this week, it said.

The head of a team investigating the downing of a French DC-10 said today traces of explosives had been found in a cargo hold at the front of the aircraft.

The investigator, Robert Paillasse, said any explosion would have been followed by an immediate explosive decompression. A bomb would not, therefore, have needed to be very

battles between Syrian and Christian forces. (Reuter

wirephoto)

Rescuers today brought to Paris the first bodies from the French airliner crash, hoping that autopsies would help determine whether a bomb brought down UTA flight 772.

Prosecutors also announced they have opened an investigation for "murders, voluntary destruction of goods, use of explosives" and other crimes in connection with "a terrorist enterprise of subversion or damaging the security of the state.

The case was assigned last night to investigating magistrate Jean-Louis Bruguiere, a terrorism specialist known for his work in dismantling the extreme-left French group Direct Action.

About 40 bodies arrived at Le Bourget airport today aboard a DC-8 cargo plane and were taken immediately to the Paris morgue for identification and autopsy, the Foreign Ministry said in a

### Toxic waste ship sparks alert in Gulf

ABU DHABI, Sept 24, (AP): A ship reported to be seeking to dump a cargo of 2,000 tons of toxic industrial waste has trig-gered a state of alert in the Gulf. United Arab Emirates officials said today.

The officials, members of the Regional Organisation for the Protection of Marine Environment (Ropme), said they had warned the Gulf ports to be on the watchout for the vessel Pro-Americana.

Dr Saad Al Nemiri of the UAE environment committee, the local branch of the Kuwaitbased Roome, said the ship was reported to be carrying zinc waste which was a highly toxic material to both marine life and human beines.

Gulf-based shipping executives, who identified the Gulf-based vessel as a Cypriot-flagged 15,245-ton general cargo vessel, said it was not inside the Gulf waterway, but conceded they were on the lookout.



### Israeli N-threat in focus

### Arabs to push IAEA

VIENNA, Sept 24, (Kuna): Israeli nuclear threats to world peace and security will figure high on the agenda of the 33rd conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) scheduled to start here tomorrow.

Another important issue is the replacement of the "Palestine Liberation

Organisation" with "Palestine" as an observer member, as well as the extension of Palestinian participation in the specialised technical meetings and those of the governors council.

Israeli nuclear threats have increased with the recent launching of a 1,300-km-

range missile from occupied Jerusalem to fall between Libya and Gree

The Arab group today continued consultations with developing and nonaligned countries to rally support for an Arab draft resolution forcing Israel to open its nuclear institutions for the IAEA inspection in conformity with UN resolutions and international charters.



### We have done it

US Secretary of State James Baker said Sunday that despite progress in some areas of arms talks with the Soviet Union, Washington remained wary of Moscow's military might.

On Saturday, Baker and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze signed a half-dozen accords and the two nations reportedly cleared a major roadblock to a long-range nuclear weapons treaty Baker and Shevardnadze then capped the day with the announcement that a

superpower summit would be held next year Baker gives a double thumbs-up after the talks (Reuter wirephoto) (See Page 6)

### given jail sentences with up to 1,500 lashes. Jane's sees 'gas terror'

LONDON, Sept 24, (AP): International conferences have not stopped production of chemical weapons and the potential exists they could be made and used by terrorists, the editor of a Jane's desence publication has warned.

Terry Gander said verification is one of the main stumbling blocks to any proposed ban on chemical weapons because they can be made in existing commercial factories or backroom workshops.

Gander is editor of the second volume of the authoritative yearbook "Jane's NBC (Nuclear, Biological and Chemical) Protection Equipment."

"On a small scale, it could ... be possible to produce lethal agents in backroom workshops or even domestic facilities, and it would only take a few smallscale uses of the resultant chemical weapons to run a railroad through any treaty," Gander said.

### Civilians out-gun Philippine Army; bill seeks 'life'

MANILA, Sept 24, (Reuter): More than 8,000 guns have been smuggled into the Philippines this year and holders of unlicensed weapons wield more firepower than the country's Army, a senator said

Senator Heherson Alvarez expressed confidence

'There is a lively commerce of guns in the country and they (the gun smugglers) talk of guns as though they are prized jewels. They even give our

guns as gifts to friends," Alvarez said in a telephone

Statistics published by the Manila Times news-paper today show there are a total of 189,000 unregistered guns in the country, of which 150,000 are held by ordinary citizens.

Muslim separatists and criminal syndicates, the newspaper said, quoting the military. Alvarez said the figures indicated unauthorised

persons held more guns combined than President Corazon Aquino's regular Army, estimated at Alvarez, a member of Aquino's ruling coalition. filed the bill after a scandal broke out over the alleged involvement of a congressman in the smug-gling of more than 300 guns from the United States earlier this month. The legislator, Nicanor de Guzman, Jr, has been

suspended from the Congress and on Friday was charged with illegal possession of firearms, a crime punishable by a maximum 12 years imprisonment. A judge set bail at 180,000 pesos (\$8,300).

The Times statistics put the number of licensed weapons in the country this year at 453,360, compared with 374,000 in 1985.

The average life spen has increased dramatically in Third World nations over the past 40 years, but one-fifth of people around the globe remain sick or hungry, the World Health Organisation seconded today. reamsation reported today. A who study found the average the Congress would approve a bill he recently filed imposing a penalty of life imprisonment on gun smugglers to curb "this dangerous tide" of The rest are in the hands of communist rebels, erson in a developing country now lives 59.7 years, compared to 41 years four decades ago.
Since 1949, the average life expectancy in China and East Asia has

## Snows | Manila admits troops setback, orders greater contro hinder plane search

ISLAMABAD, Sept 24, (AP): Autumn snow in the towering Himalayas has limited a wideranging search for a Pakistani passenger plane that disappeared on Aug 25, with 54 people aboard.

Officials believe the twinengine Fokker 27 Friendship may have crashed into a mountain peak at a high altitude and been buried under as much as 100 feet (30 metres) of snow from an ensuing avalanche.

The plane carried five crew and 49 passengers, of whom two Americans were the only foreigners, officials said.

The search is almost off... The snowline is coming down and some of the search parties are starting to come back," said Azra Sultan, spokeswoman for Pakistan International Airlines.

Airplanes and helicopters from PIA, the United Nations, private relief agencies, and the Pakistan and Indian military combed about 64,000 square miles (160,000 square kilometres) of rugged mountains in the Himalaya and Karakoram

Thousands of volunteers, including passengers' relatives, and Pakistan Army troops have scoured the deep valleys, officials said. Even US-backed Muslim rebels fighting communists in neighbouring Afghanistan were helping with the search, which Sultan called "the longest and most extensive search ever carried out."

The propeller-driven plane disappeared in clear weather on a one-hour flight from the mountain town of Gilgit to Islamabad, the Pakistani capital, 175 miles (280 kilometres) to the south. The course between peaks up to 26,000 feet (7,878 metres) is known one of the most hazardous - and the most breathtaking - commercial air routes in

Pakistani newspaper reports speculated the plane was nijacked to another country.

MANILA, Sept 24, (AP): The Philippines' top military leader has acknowledged his troops suffered setbacks recently at the hands of communist rebels and has ordered greater control of a new civilian militia accused of human rights abuses.

The assessment was made by Chief of Staff Gen. Renato de Villa at a meeting of brigade commanders Friday. Copies

of his remarks were released by the armed forces today.

De Villa said senior commanders were concerned about the poor performance of some units in the field and that recent government casualties were caused by the laxity of some comman-

"These past weeks we suffered losses

or unnecessary risk-taking on the part of lower unit commanders," De Villa

Hedid not elaborate. But this month, rebels launched two major attacks in the Bicol region, killing at least 18 government soldiers. The most recent attack was last Tuesday's raid on a geothermal plant of the Philippine National Oil Company. Five soldiers

On Sept 3, rebels ambushed a convov of Army engineers in Quezon province, killing 13 of them.

De Villa also acknowledged com-mand and control problems with the Citizens Armed Forces Geographical Units, a civilian militia deployed last year to augment security in rural areas...

JOHANNESBURG, Sept 24, (AP): The luxurious home built for jailed black leader Nelson Mandela

by his wife has been ransacked by thieves and

City Press, the country's largest-circulation news-

paper for blacks, said tiles, ceilings and floors had

been ripped away and plumbing fixtures had been removed. It estimated the cost of the damage at

The house in Soweto has stood unoccupied since its completion two years ago, when some black leaders suggested it would be inappropriate for Winnie Mandela to live in such luxury while most

residents of the huge township lived in tiny, overcr-

vandals, newspapers reported today.

100,000 rand (\$40,000).

Human rights groups, including Amnesty International, have accused the militias of abusing civilians.

"Improve your administrative and operational control over the Cafgu, "de Villa told the brigade commanders.

"The general headquarters' assessment committees, which have been visiting various field units, are basically unanare major problems and disfunctions affecting the Cafgu which must be corrected."

President Corazon Aquino's government organised the militia in July 1988

### and deployed some 80,000 recrints last year. Up to 70,000 more will be sent around the country this year to help the military against insurgents. Girl stripped

## Lankan troops seize weapons

### India pulls out first battalion

COLOMBO, Sept 24, (Agencies): The government today said it found a large cache of arms near the capital, triggering fears that, as the government prepares to begin a unilateral ceasefire. Sinhalese militants planned an assault on Colombo.

Elsewhere, at least 22 people died in fighting involving Sinhalese militants and government forces during the last 24 hours, a government statement said.

The Information Department said 11 Sinhalese were killed by Sinhalese extremists of the People's Liberation Front.

Troops and police shot and killed 11 suspected front militants, the statement said.

India pulled out the first battalion of its peacekeeping troops from Sri Lanka on Friday after an agreement was signed early this week to end the withdrawal dispute, government officials in Colombo said.

The officials wishing anon-ymity, said 600 Indian troops left from the northern port of Kankesanthurai, in the Jaffna penin-

of India (PTI) reported.

her on Friday and yesterday.

CALCUTTA, Sept 24, (Reuter): The condition of Nobel peace prize winner Mother Teresa stabilised

today after two nights of chest pain, the Press Trust

PTI quoted a medical bulletin issued at her Cal-

cutta hospital as saying the 79-year-old Catholic nun had stopped suffering the pain which affected

"She is still at complete rest and her cardiac state

sula, 300 kilometres from Colombo aboard an Indian ves-

Friday's pullout was the first after both countries signed an agreement on Monday, under which India has assured to pull out all of her 45,000 Indian peace keeping force (IPKF) troops before December 31, this year.

A senior military official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the cache of guns, ammunition and detonators was discovered early today by troops during a routine search in an abandoned house at Angoda, 10 kilometres (seven miles) east of the capital. No arrests were made, the official said.

The arms were discovered 72 hours before the government plans to cease all military operations against Sinhalese extremists.

In a bid to curb violence that has claimed 16,000, President Ranasinghe Premadasa last week announced Sri Lankan troops would cease fire against Sinhalese militants for a 72-hour

Mother Teresa's condition stabilises

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the slums of Calcutta.

needy around the world.

period beginning on Wednesday. Premadasa said the radicals could also surrender during the three-day ceasefire that will be monitored by an independent committee.

The government says more than 5,000 people have died in the 2-year-old campaign by the front, an ultranationalist guerrilla group advocating an armed overthrow of the govern-

Sinhalese radicals oppose a government peace offer to militant Tamils waging an insurgency for an independent homeland in north and east Sri

The government, in a peace accord brokered by India, offered the Tamils limited autonomy if they would give up their six-year-old campaign for a separate state.

Sinhalese militants claim the plan gave too many concessions to the Tamils, who are mostly Hindus and make up 18 per cent of Sri Lanka's 16 million people.

continues to be closely monitored," the bulletin

Born of Albanian parents in Yugoslavia, Mother

The order which she started, the Missionaries of

Charity, maintains more than 400 homes for the

Teresa won the Nobel peace prize in 1979 for work in

### **Protest** swim held in

JOHANNESBURG, Sept 24, (Reuter): About 60 anti-apartheid protesters demanding an end to segregation at South African municipal facilities staged a mul-tiracial swim protest at a Johannesburg whites-only pool today.

The demonstrators, including 20 blacks and several Indians and (mixed-race) coloureds, arrived at the Yeoville open-air pool carry-ing banners which read "drown apartheid" and "the people shall

They were admitted by pool staff while police watched from the sidelines. There were no incidents.

Once inside few of the demonstrators ventured into the 18 Celus (64 Fabrenheit) water.

Today's swim protest was the latest tactic in a defiance campaign against apartheid laws which has swept the country in the

last month.

A similar protest earlier this year at another Johannesburg pool ended in chaos when neo-fascists tried to block the entrance to Three people were reported burt and more than 150 arrested on a day of protest marches and

clashes between rival political groups that brought the South African capital to a standstill. A large police operation yester-day thwarted attempts by thousands of wemen to march on the union buildings, seat of the

white minority government, to protest at President F. W. de Klerk's apartheid policies. Witnesses said baton-wielding police beat women outside the government buildings and again when they took refuge in an office

in the city centre. Pretoria was also the scene yesterday of two rallies by separate neo-Nazi movements. Scuffles broke out between black onlook-ers and khaki-clad members of a white supermacist movement at

one of the demonstrations. Radio South Africa said a total of 154 people were arrested and three people hurt. Police said those arrested were released shortly afterwards following "preven-tative action" against the illegal

Law and Order Minister Adriaan Vlok, who was at the scene, said he was pleased with the police operation and promised to keep an open mind about future applications for protest marches.

The South African capital was

like a city mater siege during the police operation, with helicopters hovering overhead and squads of police cars, siress blaring, racing past barricades of barbed wire. Two Air Force officers were killed when their jet fighter cra-shed during a training flight, the Air Force chief said Friday.

Lt Gen J. P. Loggerenberg said the Impala Mark I aircraft cra-shed Thursday in a mountainous region near Sabie, in eastern Transvaal province.

## Mandela home wrecked

Restriction imposed on activist

owded homes.

Mrs Mandela said she only intended to live in the house after her husband was freed. But there have been reports that Mandela, jailed since 1962, does not want to live in the house at all.

The house has about 15 rooms and cost an estimated 500,000 rand (\$200,000) to build. It was paid for by a group of black businessme

City Press said Mrs Mandela has initiated legal action against the police, blaming them for damag-ing doors and windows of the house during a raid two years ago. The newspaper said Mrs Mandela believe the subsequent theft and vandalism resulted from this initial damage.

Shackles no longer

An old man wearing traditional Ukranian costume attends a demonstration in Kiev. The banner reads "Rehabilitation of the National Ukranian Language." (Reuter wirephoto) (See Page 6)



Thatcher aggressive: Aggression lies behind British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's mastery of TV interviews, according to a study by two

celebrated British psychologists.
Dr Peter Bull and Kate Mayer of the University of York, northern England, studied eight TV interviews given by Thatcher during the 1987 general election

campaign in the UK.

They concluded that the British leader tried to make the interviewers appear aggressive while adopting aggressive tactics herself.

The interviewers were also put on the defensive so much that they felt obliged to justify and even apologise for their role, said the researchers. (Kuna)

MIA remains found: Prime Minister Hun Sen said today that remains of Americans missing in action in the Vietnam war had been found in Camabodia but the United States refused to discuss the matter with his government.

In response to a question at a news conference on the withdrawal of Vietnamese troops from Cambodia, Hun Sen said his government had undertaken searches for the nearly 80 Americans listed as missing in action in

He said some remains had been located but when he publicly announced the discovery last year, the United States appeared to show no interest. (UPI)

54 injured in quake: An earthquake that slammed southwest China's Sichuan province injured 54 people and destroyed 4,269 houses, but there were no reported deaths, the official Xinhua news agency said yesterday.

The report said the Friday morning quake killed 300 animals but that casualties were relatively light because the temblor hit when most people were outdoors in the fields and not inside homes that collapsed.

Fight of these injured were in sections could be a first contact and

Eight of those injured were in serious condition, the report said.

The quake, measuring 6.3 on the Richter scale, rocked a 60-square kilometre.

(24-square mile) region in central Sichuan's Xiaojin county. (AP)

Polish cardinal confirms: The Vatican has opened the way to building

a new home for nuns whose presence at Auschwitz stirred an international controversy, a Roman Catholic archbishop announced today.

Cardinal Franciszek Macharski of Krakow, who on Aug 8 suspended plans to build a prayer centre for the Carmelite nuns now living next to the concentration camp where thousands of Jews died during World War II, made the amouncement in a statement to the official PAP news agency.

The Valican on Tuesday clearly backed moving the convent, a decision that was being resisted by Macharski and Polish Primate Cardinal Jozef Glemp. (AP)

### Sex case dropped for cash

MANILA, Sept 24, (Reuter): A MANILA, Sept 24. (Reuter: A Philippine girl who accused a Us sailor of photographing her tied to a bed after he forced her to strip taked has dropped a suit against him for a \$3,700 settlement and an apology, a court official said.

Prosecutor Sancho Lomadilla said.

yesterday that 16-year-old Sharon Monzales signed an affidavit aban-doning the case despite opposition from government lawyers.

Monzales had accused Don

Monzales had activiousness and illegal detention for allegedly forcing her to strip and taking pictures of her several times in 1988. Monzales had worked as Dratiza's housemaid in Subic town, which hosts a US Navy Earlier, an American court-mar-

rial acquitted Dratiza but Philippine Justice Secretary Sedfrey Ordonez out runspine Justice Secretary Sedfrey Ordonez to runspine de local judge to pursue the case, saying the US military had no jurisdiction over it. Manila newspapers said out of 103

cases of "crimes against chastity" filed against US sailors in Subic, all but one were dismissed after the girls accepted settlement money.

### **Philip** raps IRA bombing

DEAL, England, Sept 24, (AP): Prince Philip today condemned the killing of 10 Royal Marines musicians by an IRA bombing and the defence secretary said all military installations have been alerted to the risk of similar

attacks.
The prince toured the Royal Marines School of Music in Deal, southeast England, severely, damaged by Friday's bomb, and visited injured men in

the hospital. "It will not help the IRA win anything," said Philip, husband of Queen Elizabeth and captain general of the Royal Marines. "It is senseless. One simply wonders what sort of mentality can even

acts. It is appalling. British military installations are a frequent target of the IRA in its campaign to end British rule in Northern Ireland and unite the predominantly Protestant province with the Roman Cath-

olic republic of Ireland. Defence Secretary Tom King said a number of steps have been taken to prevent other attacks. He would not give details, except to say an alert had been issued to

all military installations. King defended the use of private security firms hired to guard the Deal school and 29 other military installations in Britain. Local residents and grieving relatives have said security at Deal was too lax and

should be turned back to the Marines, but King said the private firms would stay on. "Private security guards can be a very useful additional assis-tance," King said on BBC radio. "They also help to reduce the

amount of time soldiers have to spend on what is not the most enjoyable part of their activity." Church services were held throughout the small port, with clergymen urging relatives and friends of the victims to pray for

and forgive those who planted the bomb. Police forensic and explosives experts continued to search a house that overlooked the des-

troyed barracks and had been rented by three men described as having Irish accents.

The British government has said that tighter security

measures had been planned for

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### Plan was dropped

### Nixon to the rescue LONDON, Sept 24, (Kuna): A former CIA agent has confirmed that former US President Richard Nixon tried to organsie a second rescue attempt for the

American hostages in Iran, according to a report here today.

The Sunday Telegraph newspaper said that the plan followed the disastrous 1980 mission in which eight US soldiers died.

It quoted Miles Copeland, one of the authors of the State Department plan as saying "after the Desert One fiasco, we passed our plan, along with a detailed critique of the first raid, to President Nixon."

The plan, was prepared at the request of Cyrus Vance, the then US secretary of state, by a group of former CIA officers as an alternative to Delta Force's ill-

Copeland said he had no doubt that the plan formed the basis of Nixon's approach for former officers from the British elite special force, the SAS, with a view to discuss with them the feasibility of a second mission three months after

the Desert One fiasco, the paper added.

The plan envisaged using dissident Iranian military and police groups to carry out the rescue under the possible leadership of Farsi-speaking Western com-

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YORBA LINDA, California: The ... hirthday of former president Richard Nixon is now an official day of rest for municipal workers in the city of his birth.

The city council has voted imously to make Jan 9 a holiday for about 100 employees in the city 30 miles (48 kms) from Los

"We're not here to judge history, we're here to recognise it," said Mayor Heary Wedna. Nixon, born in a Yorba Linda farmhouse in 1913, said, "he's pleased" with the honour, Wedza

reported (AP) ATLANTIC CITY, New Jersey: Singer-actress Lainie Kazan says she is tired of playing mothers on television and film and fears that

she is being typecast. The 49-year-old Kazan, appearing at a casmo this weekend, received a New York drama critic's Golden Globe award in 1982 for her Favourité Year. In 1987, she was nominated for Emmy for playing the mother of comedian Howie lel on the television show "St Elsewhere." And last year, she was in "Beaches," playing the mother of Bette Midler.

"I have to turn a lot of stuff down, and it's really getting me down." Ms Kazan said. "I really don't want to play another Jewish mother even though I do it well. "Now I want to do mature

leading roles," Ms Kazan said. (AP) COLBERT, Georgia: Woody Harvelson plays a bartender on the television comedy series "Cheers"

but he might have a future playing Harrelson sank a 6-foot (2-metre) past under coaching from team-mate and pro golfer Tim Simpson during the second annual Kenny

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Rogers classic weekend sports competition. Sunday's crucial stroke gave his team the

championship title.
"The single most exciting event in my entire life," Harrelson said after his putt and a congratulatory lift from another team-mate Michael Jerdan, a star with the Chicago Balls of the National Basketball

Association.
Other athletes in the even included Dominique Wilkins of the NBA's Atlanta Hawks and tennis pro Jamey Comors. (AP)

VIRGINIA BEACH, Virginia: Television correspondent Barbara Walters says women cannot have it all — career, marriage and children — and she pointed to herself as an

You can have a great marriage and great children; great marriage and great career; great career and great children. But I think it is so hard to have a great marriage, a great career — not a job but a career
— and great children." Ms Wahers
told a conference of Virginia
woman.

She advised the 2.100 women in the audience not to feel guilty if they have trouble meeting the demands of career and family, and admitted it has not been so easy for her.
"I've been divorced. I have a
daughter, who, thank God, is 21

and out of her adolescence," said the 57-year-old ABC television correspondent and star of the "20-

Ms Walters advised the women to have a life beyond setting up in the morning and going to work, "although that can be pretty wonderful and intoxicating." (AP)

NASHVILLE, Temessee: Delilah Wallenda says she is proud to carry on the family circus tradition. performing on the high wire, but she is not sure her children ought to follow in her ever-so-careful

"I'm torn," the sixth-generation high-wire artiste said between performances at the Tennessee state fair. "I would like of them to carry on the tradition, but there is a lot of heartache in the circus. The circus is not doing well. There's too much Ms Wallenda and her husband

and high-wire partner, Terry Troffer, have a daughter, Lijssa, 12, and son, Nikolas, 10. (AP) Mt Etna spews more lava



### Kicking the last leg

Debbie Reynolds, currently appearing in a revival of "The Unsinkable Molly Brown," says talent and drive forever. But when this tour ends, she

says, so will her dancing.
"I'm kicking my tast leg," Miss Reynolds, 57, said in a recent interview. She does jigs, flips and dances atop a high bar in the current production

"I wanted to go out dancing the kind of dancing I began with in 'Singin'. in the Rain," she said. "That was great dancing. And 'Molly Brown' is

great dancing."
Miss Reynolds received an Oscar nomination for her title role in the 1964 movie version of "Molly Brown," but this is the first time she has

appeared in the original stage ver-"I wonder why I wanted to work this hard. I have questions about my

sanity," she joked. But she said the work keeps her happy. (AP) SEVERNA PARK, Maryland: Five sweltering days pinned inside a box spring on a moving truck turned the

once aloof Pippen the cat into a cuddly pet.
The calico owned by Sandy
Zywica and her husband, Richard, was found with her paws stuck in

the springs after the couple's belongings arrived from their Wisconsis home at their new place in Severna Park.

The cat had been missed, but checks of her favourite spots failed to turn her up. She was pulled from the truck on Ang 22 to the applause

She's very standoffish, and that's what got her into trouble,"
Mrs Zywica said. "She just never
was a friendly cat."

But that was before Pippen's healthy after a brief recovery. Now, she cuddles and rubs against her

whers.
"She would have never done this before," Mrs Zywica said. (AP)

MOSCOW, Make: An appetite suppressant for mosquitoes could be an answer to that summertime scourge, but one challenge still remaining is getting the substance out of the lab and into female

mosquitoes.

"Right now, you'd have to inject each mosquito with a little syringe," said University of Idaho

Female mosquitoes — the ones that do the buzzing and biting — need protein in human and animal blood to produce eggs, Klowden, in 13 years of study, has found that females stop feeding once they have a bellyful of blood. (AP)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oklahoma: A woman who gave birth at the same time on the same date this year and last said Mercy Hospital will have to do without her next Sept 16. Disan Overby gave birth both times at exactly 7:40 pm. She even

had the same labour and delivery nurse, Theresa Tebia. Last year, Ms Overby had a son. This year, it was a daughter. (AP)

- PITTSBURGH: American musicians are banding together to give music, instruments and musical supplies to people in Poland,

Pritsburgh symphony orchestra conductor Lorin Maszel says. "Music has always been a way to bring people together in peace and harmony, and we hope that our gift will send a message of friendship and support to our brothers and sisters in Poland." Manzel, the United Nations ambassador of goodwill, said from New York.

DETROIT: David Ruffin, former lead singer for the group Temptations, is asking to enter a drug-treatment centre rather than

go to jail for violating probation on a drug charge.

"He recognised the benefits ... it beats jail," Ruffin's attorney, Jeff Collins, said in a court bearing.

"Any jail period, even five minutes, would be unjust. He needs help, not jail."

Collins said Ruffin, who had previously denied having a drug problem, asked Judge John O'Brien to order him into a treatment

programme. O'Brien continued the hearing until next week. (AP) **BELLEVILLE**, Illinois: Most foreign visitors go sight-seeing, checking out things like the Grand Canyon or historical sites. But

Andre Borjesson is filling his time looking inside chimneys.

Bojersson, 24, is a chimney sweep, touring the United States for the Swedish Chimney Sweep Guid to learn more about his profession

and to share Swedish techniques "I'm like a spy here, trying to see what we can learn," he joked. "We've learned a lot more from

this visit than the Swedes have learned from us," Maine said. (AP) ATLANTA: Health officials are investigating sales of a dangerous drug compound in Texas under the name "The Miracle Herb."

Texas health officials last year found "Chuifong Tokuwan," a drug compound made in Hong Kong, for sale in pill form, said the Centres for Disease Control. Chuifong Tokuwan first appeared in the United States in 1974 and was banned by the Food and Drug Administration in 1978.

The product contains several drugs, as well as lead and cadmium, which can cause kidney problems, the CDC said. The drugs found in Texas usually were repackaged and labelled "The Miracle Herb mother nature's finest." (AP)

DALLAS: Nate "The Kitchen" Newton of professional football's Dallas Cowboys has declared: I need 20,000 pounds (9,072 kgs) of

But the food is not for the huge offensive guard, who weighs 318 pounds (144 kgs) and was fined several times at training camp for

Newton is a local spokesman for a world hunger day for drive Oct 15 and is asking Cowboys fans to bring donations to Texas stadium. Newton says he grew up in a family where food wsa sometimes in short supply. Food collected during

the drive will be given to area food

VENTURA, California: It's a bug-eat-bug world for Jack and Jake

The father and son breed good insects to eat bad insects at Rincon Vitova, one of 15 "insectaria" in the United States. Every day, Rincon produces more than 80 million voracious critters, form ladybugs to

wasps. Business has tripled in the past five years as farmers concerned about pesticides turn to natural

Sales from the 15 insectaria total \$25 million a year, the Blehms say. Most insects are sold to cotton and vegetable growers, plus backyard

"This is the future," said Kes Hagen, an entomologist at the University of California, Berkeley. "There is a great need. The farmers are desperate." (AP)



criminals, blessing the inmates and urging them to break free from their 'moral The pope, who is on a three-day tour of Tuscany, said he was a 'brother

that sits atop this medieval hill town. Known as the Forlezza (fort), the prison was a castle begun by Walter de Brienne, Duke of Athens, in 1343 and completed by Lorenzo (Reuter wirephoto).

Shell for best director for his movie 'Konsul' ('Consul'), while the special jury prize went to the Spanish entry 'El Mar Y El Tiempo' ('Sea and Time') by director Fernando Fernan Gomez. The prize for best male actor was awarded to Ari

Beri of Hungary for his performance in 'Tusztortenet' ('Hostages History').

Yugoslav actress Mirjana Jokovic won in the female category for her work in the Argentine-British co-production 'Eversmile New Jersey.'

## Race on to decipher genetic code of life

NEW YORK, Sept 24, (Reuter): A squat, grey box will be the workhorse of a 15-year, \$3 billion project to unravel the entire genetic makeup of human beings — a task described as biology's equivalent of landing a man on the moon.

It's called a gene machine, In the past few years gene machines have revolutionised the arduous task of deciphering the exact genetic sequence of DNA, molecules of which carry the genetic information necessary for the organisation and function of most living cells and control hereditary characteristics.

Gene machines are playing an indispen-sable role in the vast and ambitious Genome Project, a US government plan to map out the human genetic code that is being organised by the National Institute of Health (NIH).

The NIH were given \$28 million to begin the project earlier this year and the Bush

**US** age

an edge

WASHINGTON, Sept 24, (UPI): The United States will

enjoy economic benefits over

West Germany and Japan as its

population ages more slowly in coming decades than the popula-

tions of its industrial rivals, the International Monetary Fund

The IMF also warned

Americans to start saving more in preparation for the day when

accumulated resources will be

insufficient to finance both

production and a growing demand for social services. Such a short-fall could lead to higher taxes and

In its world economic outlook,

released yesterday, the IMF for

the first time examined the econ-

omic implications of the changing demographic among industrial

In aging West Germany, the 'dependency ratio' — the proportion of population aged 0-14 and

over 65 to the population aged 15-

64, or those who work and those

who do not - will rise from 44 per

cent in 1990 to 51 per cent in 2005

will rise from 48 per cent in 1990 to 50 per cent in 2005 and to 59 per cent in 2020, the highest among

the industrial powers at that date.

continuous population growth will

drop the dependency ratio from 52

per cent in 1990 — one of th

highest among the industrial

nations and due to a larger propor-

tion of young people — to 47 per cent in 2005, before rising to 55

The IMF said that the presence

of a large proportion of young people will boost the dependency ratio in the United States, while in

other industrial countries the rise

will be fuelled primarily by a

growing elderly population.

The difference in the timing in

which the populations age will benefit the United States more

than Japan and West Germany,

In the United States savings will

increase for a while as a greator

changes in balance of payments will be large and beneficial for the

By 2020, the net foreign

liabilities of the United States,

now the world's largest debtor,

would be cut by 19 per cent of the gross national product. The net asset positions of Japan, now the

world's largest creditor, and West

Germany would be cut by 21 per

cent and 18 per cent respectively.

The fund said that changes in

the dependency ratio will increase

the demand for social services and

decrease the amount of savings,

since the share of those working

and saving in the total population

higher interest rates that will

depress investments, leading to

lower output, a situation viewed

with alarm by the IMF since it will

occur when the demand for social

services will be rising.

Lower savings will result in

United States, the IMF noted.

per cent in 2020.

the IMF said.

In the United States, slow but

In Japan the dependency ratio

and to 54 per cent in 2020.

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administration has asked Congress for

\$100 million in 1990. Part of the project will concentrate on gene sequencing, in which more than \$1 billion will be spent on defining the struc-ture of all of the estimated 50,000 to 100,000 genes that collectively define human beings.

The other part of the project, gene mapping, will locate the genes along the network of the 46 chromosomes contained in every cell of the human body.

Once the map is known and each network defined, scientists will have a powerful aid to help prevent and treat more than 4.000 diseases caused by genetic defects.

Less than 2,000 genes have so far been mapped, and the entire catalogue will take at least 15 years to complete, scientists say. It is an enormous project that will generate a data base that scientists can use for centuries.

Researchers are developing ever more sophisticated machines that will speed the mapping and analysis of genes.

In the last decade, great strides have been made to automate the analysis of genes, which are comprised of four chemicals known as bases. Each sequence of base pairs spells out the message carried by the gene, such as the colour of someone's hair or eyes.

It is a vast catalogue. In the human species, there are some three billion base pairs and many redundant sequences, as well as many that are not yet understood. Some DNA pieces that now appear useless may one day prove priceless and cannot be discarded.

Gene machines produce the four chemical base sequences of snippets of DNA. In the early 1980s, it took two to three days to decipher a typical 400-base sequence of a piece of DNA, said biotech-

nology analyst Stuart Weisbrod. Today up to 16 pieces of DNA can be 'read' at one time in one day, with each

piece vielding up to 400 bases. But the amount of time it takes for the machine to read the sequences, which appear in four-colour, computer-generated bar graphs - one colour for each base - is still far too long and too expensive for something as big as the Genome Project.

### Speed

"Given the present technology, the Genome Project isn't practical, said John Mulvihill, who heads the NIH's medical genetics programme.

Researchers say the speed of gene sequencing will have to improve by as much as ten-fold to make the project work-



## Kidnapper committed suicide

### Belgium prosecutor changes police version

LIEGE, Belgium, Sept 24, (AP): A man sought in France for a string of holdups and prison escapes committed suicide yesterday during a shootout with police that occurred

after he released three hostages, police said.
Police first reported they killed Philippe Delaire, 28, of France and seriously wounded one of his Belgian accomplices, Tony Wagemans, 31, during the shootout in an apartment building. But prosecutor Anne Bourguignont later told reporters that Delaire killed himself during the confronta-

A third gunman, Belgian Edouard Delecki, 36, was arrested unharmed.

The shootout ended a standoff that began on Sept 16 when the three men kidnapped a bank manager, his wife and their two daughters in their home in Tilff, a residential southern suburb of Liege.

The banker escaped and alerted police, who surrounded the villa. After a week of negotiations with

policemen, the three gunmen agreed to release their hostages for a ransom of \$750,000 and a Mercedes-Benz. They released the two girls, Gaelle, 10, and Francoise, 12, on Friday and drove away with the mother, whom they later freed on the road

towards Holland. Two police helicopters chased the men, and all main roads and border crossings were guarded. Spotting policemen at the border, the three men drove back to a 28-storey apartment building in Liege, where the shootout occurred. Police said Delaire shot first and was killed

by a bullet in the head. The wounds of Wagemans were not described. Delaire, who was born in northern France. had a brief but wild criminal career there.

police said. Jailed for holdups, he escaped for the first time from a prison in Lille, France, in 1985. He committed other holdups in France and Belgium, many in the Liege area, taking hos-

tages to cover his escape. Arrested several times in France and Belgium, he escaped again and again. Last year, he forced a helicopter pilot to free a friend from a prison in Nice, southern France.

### Chances of mechanical failure ight 5050 probe on

investigation into the crash of a Usair jetliner is now focusing on the possibility of mechanical failure, although officials said a rookie co-pilot had punched the wrong cockpit button moments before the aircraft plunged into

New York's East River. Flight 5050 crashed late Wednesday night when takeoff of the 737 jetliner was aborted. Two people died and 59 others were rescued. The flight had been

proportion of the population works and saves, while consumpheaded to Charlotte, North tion and investments — and Carolina. therefore imports — will fall, improving the balance of National Transportation In Japan and West Germany,

as the proportion of those who work falls, savings will drop and consumption will increase, lead-ing to a reduction in their balance off a runway at La Guardia airport yesterday.

He said the parts will be of payments surpluses.

The comulative impact of the examined to determine if there

addition to the pilot error. take, Loptakiewicz said, 'it may

turn out that was unrelated to what happened. Another factor under inves-

Safety Board spokesman Ted Lopatkiewicz said investigators continued to remove pieces of the plane's fuselage from the water

were any mechanical problems in Speaking of the co-pilot's mis-

tigation was the plane's unex-plained veer to the left, said acting National Transportation Safety Board chairman James **Driver keeps mum** ALTON, Texas, Sept 24, (AP): The driver of a truck that collided with a school bus and knocked it into a water-filled pit refused yesterday to answer questions about the accident that killed 20 teenagers, an accident

investigator said. Also yesterday, Lee Dickinson of the National Transportation Safety Board said an examination of the truck's braking system found "the brakes did work." The truck driver had told police after Thursday's

On the advice of his attorneys, Ruben Perez, 25, chose not to talk to NTSB board members who are investigating the accident that injured at least 63 others. Dickinson said. Perez' refusal will not hinder the federal

An examination of the brakes found they were working, he said, but added that they were not perfectly adjusted. The truck passed state inspection last month, Dickinson said. There were 81 aboard the bus when the accident occurred and the vehicle had a capacity of 83, Dickinson said.

Investigators planned today to question the driver of the bus, Gilberto Pena, who was in stable condition last night at Mission General Hospital, said hospital spokeswoman Estella Alvarez.

One student still was listed in critical condition in the hospital's

Kolstad at a news conference last

He said investigations found marks on the runway that showed the plane's three sets of wheels had skidded down the

The flight's pilot and co-pilot had their flight licenses suspended for leaving the accident scene and were strongly criticised Friday by officials for failing to immediately submit to drug and

alcohol testing.
"At a time when drug abuse has become a major national problem, we believe the American public has a right to know that its transportation sys-tem is alcohol and drug free."

Rushdie's novel in

paperback LONDON, Sept 24, (AP): A paperback edition of 'The

Satanic Verses," which triggered Muslim protests world-wide and brought a death sentence against its author Salman Rushdie, will likely go on sale this winter, a British newspaper reported More than I million hardback

copies of the novel, published a year ago this week, have been sold, but Viking Penguin has yet to bring out a paperback edition. Ayatoliah Khomeini, the Iranian spiritual leader who died in June, had declared the novel blasphemous to Islam and issued

against the Indian-born British writer and his publishers. Rushdie, 42, has since been living in hiding in British intelligence safe houses.

a death sentence on Feb 14

The weekly Observer, which publishes occasional book reviews by Rushdie, said Viking Penguin told him last week after months of negotiations that a paperback edition will be published by a specific date in 1990. The date is being kept secret

for security reasons but the paperback edition is expected to go on sale this winter, the newspaper said.

### Ruling in 'embryos' case based on facts, critics told

MARYVILLE, Tennessee, Sept 24, (UPI): A judge who ruled life begins at conception and awarded seven frozen embryos to a barren woman in a landmark custody battle said he based his decision played no part in his ruling. Critics said Blount counts circuit judge W. Dale

Young missed the mark in his ruling, not so much by ruling in favour of Mary Sue Davis instead of her husband, Junior Davis, but in deciding that life begins at conception.

"Ruling for the woman on the grounds that he did open a Pandora's box of possible legal and

ethical issues," said John Robertson, a University of Texas law professor and member of the American Fertility Society's ethics committee. But Young said his ruling was based on the facts presented in the case, and moral, religious and ethical questions did not enter into his considera-

"The court cannot be guided by pro-life or pro-choice stances in a case such as this," Young said. The facts in the case, and the testimony of several very knowledgeable witnesses led the court to its

Young awarded temporary custody of the seven

embryos to Mary Davis, 29 and childless, for their implantation. She argued during the trial the embryos may represent her last chance to become But her ex-husband contended their use would

force him into unwanted fatherhood. He wanted

the eggs kept frozen indefinitely unless he and his wife both agreed on their use. Junior Davis promised to appeal the ruling to the

Tennessee court of appeals within 30 days, and lawyers said Mary Davis may not use the embryos until the appeals process is exhausted.

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### TO THE STATE OF TH CATANIA, Sicily, Sept 24, (AP): Mount Etna rumbled yesterday and smoke and ash billowed from its craters, but officials said it posed no immediate danger to nearby The Italian news agency AGI said Europe's most active volcano spilled lava from its southeast crater on Friday night, but the flow halted in a desert-like valley on Eina's slopes, some 2,650 metres (8,700 feet) above

glowing matter. Seismographs at the International Vulcanology Institute in Catania reported tremors caused by movements inside the mountain. Although the volcano currently poses no danger to surrounding areas, flights to and from Catania have been rerouted

The peak continued to rumble

last morning and coughed up

around Etna because of recent volcano activity, and tourists have been forbidden to enter some slopes. Natives and tourists alike enjoyed the fireworks offered by one of Sicily's major tourist

attractions. "It's spectacular. A lot of molten ash has poured out," said Salvo Pennisi of La Sicilia news-



Pope John Paul II yesterday visited a maxmimum security prison for Matia

among brothers' with the 150 convicts housed in the 15th century fortress prison

### US, Bolivia share top prize at film festival

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Sept 24. (APJ: Soviet-born director Andrei Konchalovski's 'Homer and Eddie' shared top honours at the 39th San Sebastian International Film Festival, the jury here announ-The jury awarded the Gold Shell for best film to the US production and to 'La Nacion Clandestina' ("The Clandestine Nation") by Bolivian director

Sanjines told reporters the award would "help form a positive image of my country at a time when. according to US newspapers, all Bolivians are drug Polish filmmaker Miroslaw Bork won the Silver

Some have been quick to try to exploit the dollar

shortage.

In a third-floor apartment in the plant suburb of San

in a minuteror aparament in the pains suctor of San Isidro, Roberto, owner of an "underground" money-exchange house, 8 juggling two telephones trying to line up a deal for \$30,000.

Since Aug 19, the unofficial exchange rate at which most dollars are sold and bought has shot from 3,300 intis to the

dollar to 5,300, a rise that nearly everyone attributes to the

scarcity of US currency.

The drug money's power over the past few years can be seen in the growth of black-market trading, which has effectively turned Peru's feeble economy into one based on

Wielding pocket calculators and wads of bills, ea

curbside money changers can be seen throughout the capital accossing cars and pedestrians to make a deal. In just two years, their numbers have jumped from 300 to

## Hunted | family flee to Spain

(AP): The frightened family of a missing human rights activist fled the country yesterday after nearly six weeks in the care of the Red Cross.

The activist, 23-year-old Maria Rumalda Camey, was abducted Aug 15 by gunmen who burst into her modest home in Guatemala's Esquintla province before dawn.

"I heard the shots and the screams. It was her - kidnapped," said her husband, Jose Gonzalo Camey, in an interview last week in a Red Cross shelter where the family had taken

refugee.

Maria is the fourth person in the family who had "disappeared" in the past 10 months. The bodies of the other three turned up on roadsides.

Camey doesn't believe Maria survived her abduction. The 23-year-old husband, the

woman's two infants, her brother and his family left for Madrid yesterday under the diplomatic protection of Spanish Ambassador Juan Pablo Delaiglesia.

They were following six other relatives who were granted political asylum by Spain last

"It is incredible how this family has been persecuted," said Angel Alfredo Figueroa, the deputy federal attorney-general for human rights.

Under the right wing military rule of the early 1980s, tens of thousands of Guatemalans had died or disappeared, including Jose's father.

Human rights groups estimate that 40,000 people have been killed by right wing death squads. Many of the death squads are suspected of links with the Army or other security

Tens of thousands of others, like both Jose and Maria's families, were displaced, fleeing the military's campaing against leftist guerrillas roaming the

With the advent of civilian rule three years ago, human rights abuses began to subside. People like Jose and Maria allowed themselves dreams of a normal

"Maria and I didn't want to think about the violence, Camey said. "I thought for our life together, of striving for our children, of working. And she,

But in the past two months there has been a surge of killings and bombings. Bodies have been found along the roads, their hands cut off. Fear has returned.

"In a country where part of the population can't be sure it will see the next day and fears for their lives, the human rights situation is very grave and worrisome," said Peter Kooijmans' a staffer with th UN Commission on Human Rights, who was visiting Guatemala last week.

Human rights workers blame the violence on right wing extremists who believe President Vinicio Cerezo's rule is too liberal. Cerezo, who had survived two coup attempts, had denied any security forces are involved in the current violence.

### Duarte's condition improves

SAN SALVADOR, Salvador, Sept 24, (AP): Jose Napoleon Duarte slept well, breathing without difficulty, and rose without assistance yesterday from what earlier this week seemed certain to be his death

Fidelina Menjivar, a nurse attending to the former president, said in a telephone interview this morning that Duarte's condition remains stable, slightly improved from the

previous night.

Dr Jose Luis Saca, the former president's personal physician, reported on Friday that Duarte had made a dramatic and surprising recovery from a bout with pneumonia that very nearly

Miss Menjivar said X-rays taken last night showed that antibiotics were steadily shrinking the spot of pneumonia doctors had discovered in Duarte's right lung. The infection provoked a crisis that three times between Tuesday and Wednesday carried the cancer-ravaged Duarte to the verge of death from

asphyxiation. "The threat of imminent death has disappeared," Saca told the AP late Friday. "That man is some kind of human being than yourself or myself."

## Judges demand more protection

Strike threat; blasts in Bogota

BOGOTA, Sept 24, (AP): Colombia's 4,600 judges threatened today to go on strike if they don't get more protection against death threats from drug barons.

Also today, the son of a crusading newspaper editor who was killed by drug traffickers acused Colombia's Congress of being cowardly and corrupt in the government's fight against the powerful

Residents of the capital endured another night of bombings as dynamite exploded in a theatre, a city bus company's garage and at a neighbourhood headquarters of the governing Liberal Party later yesterday.

The three bombs injured two people, national police told the Associated Press.

Since the government declared war on drug trifickers just over a month ago, 103 bombs have killed six

### Klein got out himself

### Israel embassy staff offered help

Sept 24, (Reuter): An Israeli reserve officer alleged to have trained assassins for Colombian drug barons said a member of Israel's embassy staff in Colombia offered to help him escape that country, Israel television said yesterday.

Reserve Lieutenant-Colonel Yair Klein, head of the Hod Hahanit security firm, said Israeli embassy security officer Yossi Biran made the offer after Colombian newspapers reported Israelis were training the assassins, the television said.

Israel's foreign ministry categorically denied Klein's allegation. Spokesman Yossi Amihud said that after a formal investigation the ministry found Klein's claim unfounded,

Klein said he met Biran twice. At the first meeting, Biran warned him that his work with Colombian cattle farmers touched on security issues. At the second meeting, Biran offered to spirit Klein out of the country for several thousand dollars.

Klein said he eventually left Colombia without Biran's help and paid him no money. The Israel television report

appeared on Saturday in trun-

cated form after apparently being delayed for several days by the military censor.

Colombia recently issued arrest and extradition warrants against Klein on charges of criminal conspiracy for his alleged work with the drug car-

Israel has refused to extradite Klein, commenting that the two countries do not have an extradition agreem

Klein has denied he trained drug cartel hit squads. He has said he trained Colombian cattle farmers to defend themselves against Marxist guerrillas but it was possible some farmers were involved in the drug trade.

Colombian security authorities have said Israeli, British and American mercenaries hel-ped train hit squads blamed for the deaths of politicians, judges, trade unionists and rival drug traffickers. After the first reports that

Israeli security firms were working in Colombia, Israel denied any knowledge of such activities. Subsequently, the foreign ministry said it was aware several firms were working there without permission from the Israeli

government.



A AFP journalist speaks with a local journalist after their office was occupied. (Reuter wirephoto)

### Rebels take over **UPI, AFP offices**

LIMA, Sept 24, (AP): Armed leftist rebels burst into two foreign news service offices yesterday, vandalising equipment and forcing employees to transmit communiques, according to employees at the agencies.

The offices of Agence-France Presse and United Press International in downtown Lima were both taken over at about 11:00 am (1600 GMT) by members of the pro-Cuban Tupac Amaru revolutionary movement (MRTA)

Nobody was injured in either incident. Reynaldo Munoz, a writer for

AFP told the Associated Press that three young men brandishing pistols broke into the office and ordered him to transmit a statement criticising the Inter-national Monetary Fund and "noliticians who are giving the

country away" to foreign loan

Munoz said the three painted the walls with MRTA slogans, and left after about a half hour. He said the rebels told the AFP employees they were putting a bomb outside the door and not to open it.

Munoz said he and two others were in the office at the time of At the same time, two women

and a man armed with pistols took over the UPI office. They also ordered an employee to transmit a prepared statement while the three ripped out tele-phones and painted slogans on the walls, according to UPI employee Victor Rojas.

Rojas said the statement criticised the IMF and the World Bank for impoverishing the people of Peru.

people and wounded 130. Colombia's judges said today through their union, the National Association of Judicial Workers, that there must be immediate attention to the dan-

strike within a week. In the last 10 years, 220 judicial workers, including about 50 judges, have been murdered, many by drug traffickers.

ger they face or they will go on

The union said in a communique that union officials would meet tomorrow with Acting Justice Minister Carlos Lemos Simmonds and a strike would be called unless action was taken to protect the judges.

Monica de Greiff, who resig-

ned as justice minister last week after being threatened by drug traffickers, got promises in Washington earlier this month of \$19 million in aid and equipment to protect Colombian judges.

The judges' union said it has been told nothing about the US aid for protection.

The judges make about \$400 a month, which many have said forces them to take the bus to work in this country where a compact car costs \$20,000.

The union's communique referred to previous demands, which have included higher salaries, bullet-resistant cars, bullet-resistant vests, guards with metal detectors at their offices and other security

The anti-drug crusading newspaper El Especiador, in a column by its editor, Juan Guillermo Cano, accused Colombia's Congress of being cowardly and corrupt. Colombian newspapers have reported that 25 Colombian con-

gressmen have been denied visas to the United States because of links to drug traffickers. The US embassy has denied

comment, but the report has

caused a furore in Colombia's Colombia's Army said today it had captured a suspected drug trafficker, Carlos Gomez

Zapata, wanted by the United States for extradition. The Army, in a communique, said Gomez Zapata has been wanted on drug trafficking charges in Florida since 1985. He is not on the US Justice Depart-

ment's list of the 12 most-wanted Colombian drug trafficking sus-Meanwhile, four men have been arrested and confessed to the assassination of a leading presidential hopeful that

preceded the war waged against the government by the nation's cocaine cartels, authorities said. After the assassination six days earlier of leading presidential hopeful Sen. Luis Carlos

Galan Sarmiento prompted the government to institute a state of siege against the cartels. Ramon Niebles Sucategi, commander of the military

brigade trained in the war against guerrillas and drug traffickers, announced yesterday that four men were arrested in the Galan killing and would go before a judge to determine whether they should be held for trial. ■ Narcotics agents have broken up a heroin-trafficking

ring involving Iranians and Spaniards, seizing three kilogrammes (6.6 pounds) of beroin and a large sum of cash, a Madrid police spokesman yes-A passenger on a ferry from

Lebanon was arrested after Cyprus customs officers found two kilogrammes, or 4.4 pounds, of pure heroin in his possession. police reported today.

A police statement said it was

in the possession of a man carrying an Algerian passport iden-tifying him as Ahmed Ali Redjili. Pope John Paul II called yesterday for increased national and international efforts to fight the drug trade and said addicts should be treated with compas-

## Escobaris godsend to many .

MEDELLIN, Colombia, Sept 24, (AP): Five years ago, Fabio Gil hved in a cardboard shack at a city dump. Today, Gil and his family share a two-bedroom home atop a mountain overlooking scenic Medellin.

"These guys came to the dump one day. We didn't know who they were. One of them said 'I am Pablo Escobar. I'm going to help you," said Gil, sitting on a red plastic couch in his red brick home in the Barrio, or neigbourhood, named after Escobar, a

reputed top cocaine trafficker. "He told us 'I bought this land for you.' He built us houses and he said it was for us, to live decen-tly in society," said Gil, 43, who often works in construction. "But he advised us not to get invovled in crime, not to steal, not to become drug addicts.'

That is how Gil and 5,000 other people were helped by the man reputed to be richest, most wanted and most violent to Colombia's powerful drug barons. Escobar, believed to be 41, is said to be No. 1 in the Medellin drug cartel, which supplies a vast amount of cocaine sold on US streets.

Although modest, the 500 brick homes built in rows on a mountain above the sprawling metropolis of Medellin, the cocaine capital of the world, are solid and neat. They are adorned

Colombian crackdown echoes in Peru Drug dollar flow drops

LIMA, Sept 24, (AP): Colombia's crackdown on its cocaine cartels is reverberating the streets in Lima A sudden shortage of drug money has sparked wild specula-

In the month since Colombia declared "total war" against drug traffickers, visits by Colombian narcotics smugglers to Peru's upper Huallaga river valley, source of most of the world's coca leaf, have dropped off 80 per cent, according to analysts here.

The illegal trade is believed to bring at least \$1 billion a year into Peru's dollar-starved economy, most of it via the northeastern highland jungles where 60,000 peasant families grow the world's best-quality coca.

Colombian traffickers fly into remote airstrips scattered through the region and pay dollars in cash for coca paste, which they refine into cocame.

The drug dollars then come in chartered planes and trucks over the high Andes, which separate the jungle from the coast, and are traded for Peruvian imis on Lima's. busting black market.
But now the dollars aren't flowing as they did.

"The number of planes carrying dollars from the jungle has dropped from about 15 a week to three," said econ-

with roses, statues of the Virgin, Mary and posters of white kit-

tens and nude women.
Two or three families share

one house. The homes each have

two bedrooms, a living room, bathroom, kitchen and patio. In

many, there are TV sets, stereos,

refrigerators and even washing

It's a long way from the flies and the smell of the municipal dump where thousands in make-

shift homes survive by scaveng-ing other people's garbage.
"We lived in such subhuman conditions," Gil said. "And then this person comes along and helps us. Well, of course we're going to be grateful."

more than 3,000.

But political leaders frequently express concern that Peru's economy has been weakened by years of "narco-In the neighbourhood of La Milagrosa (Spanish for the Miraculous One), nestled bea-eath the Barrio Escobar, many

more are grateful. Escobar is credited with providing that suburb with electricity, drinking water, traffic lights, a soccer field and a sports



Storekeepers, top right, survey the extensive damage caused by hurricane Hugo. (Reuter wirephoto)

### Massive relief efforts launched

Carolina, Sept 24, (Reuter): Massive relief efforts have been mobilised to help this southern US city recover from the killer hurricane Hugo, which caused more than a billion dollars worth

The American Red Cross launched a nation-wide appeal yesterday for the most costly dis-aster-relief drive in its 108-year history, comparing the destruc-tion in South Carolina's coastal region with some Third World

"Thousands of people (were) lining up for food and gas (petrol)," Red Cross official Barbara Lohman said.

Charleston resident Earl Haberthaler said: "It's as close to a nuclear bomb attack as you'll Charleston's mayor, Joseph

Riley, said the damage in his county would probably exceed \$1 billion and some insurers said the cost could be three times as high when other devastated communities were added in.

These figures dwarf the \$27 million worth of damage caused in 1954 by hurricane Hazel, which killed 22 people. Hugo was responsible for

nearly 50 deaths in the United States and the Caribbean before it finally broke up yesterday over Canada's St Lawrence seaway. It displaced tens of thousands of people in South and North Carolina and ripped electricity

million residents. Hundreds of troops were on duty in Charleston for a second night to enforce an anti-looting curfew and martial law was declared on the Isle of Palms, a rich island community that was

lines away from more than a

Scramble for water in Hugo's wake

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Sept 24, (AP): San Juan residents hauled water from swimming pools, rivers and parts of the island unaffected by hurricane Hugo as crews worked around the clock to restore water and Interior Secretary Manual Lujan and a group of US congressmen arrived yesterday in Puerto Rico for a two-day fact-finding trip to Puerto Rico and the US

Virgin Islands.

Officials say Hugo caused at least 27 deaths and billions of dollars in damage in Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and other islands of the eastern Caribbean before hitting the US coast on Thursday.

President George Bush has declared both Puerto Rico and the US Virgin Islands disaster areas. In addition, 1,200 military police and other troops were dispatched to St Croix in the Virgin Islands to half widespressed locating. widespread looting

widespread tooting.

Officials in the Virgin Islands complained that the Bush administration was more interested in deploying troops than airlifting relief supplies to the stricken US

At a news conference here yesterday, US Rep. George Miller, who headed the congressional fact-finding team, was asked why federal assistance did not start arriving in the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico until four or five days after the storm. "That is one of the reasons we are here," Miller said.

among the worst hit.

at dawn on Friday.

Altogether nearly 3,000

National Guards troops were on duty throughout South Carolina

and in Charlotte, North

Carolina, a city 200 miles (320 km) inland that was 85 per cent

without power after Hugo hit it

arrested for looting and some

Charleston merchants had been

detained for exploiting disaster

victims by running up prices for emergency supplies. One man was detained and his truck conf-

iscated for charging \$25 each for

bags of ice while another was

accused of seiling \$200 gen-

crators for \$1,500 apiece.

Police said 30 people had been

In Washington, the Defence Department said the islands had already received relief aid including 100,000 Army field rations, 15,000 cots, four electrical generators with operating crews and medical personnel from the 109th evacuation hospital of the Alabama Army National Guard.

It said more nonnerishable food and plastic sheeting for home repairs would also be sent.

The Defence Department reported the navy ship
Pensacola had arrived at St Croix and was producing rensacola had arrived at St Croix and was producing 58,600 gallons of water per day. It said truck-mounted water purification units were being set up in Puerto Rico to provide about 270,000 gallons of fresh water daily

Virgin lalands Lt Gov. Derek Hodge said the territory was receiving large amounts of aid, but distribution of the supplies was disorganised.

He said he expected the mainland military troops to emain another week or so. Puerto Rico was returning to normal, despite illions of dollars in damage, particularly in the cas-

in the capital of San Juan, roads were cleared and

being distributed.

supermarkets and some restaurants were open. But two-thirds of the city of 1.1 million people still had no running water yesterday, and one-quarter had no elec-tricity, utility officials said.

med at the few service stations that had generators to pump gas, which reportedly was being sold for up to \$4 and 50 cents per At a Charlotte mall, a panicky

In Charleston, many residents

remained without electricity or

telephone service. Long lines for-

crowd hoping to get ice in a park-ing lot started pusing and shov-ing and police were called. It wasn't a riot, but it could

have been," said Police Lt Mike Connolly. "There was some pushing and shoving cursing just some hot tempers."

At another mall, motorists turned one lane of a road into a parking lot when they jumped

Running water was restored to most places, although residents were warned to boil it before drinking it, and mail service could resume Monday, Joseph Riley Jr said at a news con-

out of their cars to get ice that was

Authorities reported 20 incidents of looting and 30 arrests in North Carolina since

Hugo struck; 89 arrests were

The troops will remain on the

streets of Charleston "just as

long as we need to to maintain

the safety for people," South Carolina Governor Carroll

made in South Carolina,

Campbell said.

### Sun rises in St Louis and eyes of the newspaper world are focused on the daily

are on the St Louis Sun, which begins publishing tomorrow morning in an attempt to become the first new major metropolitan daily in the US to earn a profit since World War IL.

Officials at the Sun hope a successful launch will reverse downward trends in the newspaper industry, including declining readership and the failures of many papers in

cities that once boasted two or more dailies.
"It's bucking the trend in the United States, but it's right in tune with the trend in the rest of the world," said Robert Jelenic, 38, president of St Louis Sun Publishing Co.

Jelenic pointed out that new daily newspapers have been launched successfully during the past 20 years in England. Canada, Italy, Spain and Puerto Rico. If the Sun proves successful, it could cause the US newspaper industry to rethink the idea that new publications cannot succeed, he

"If it works well here - and they know it's worked in Canada and Puerto Rico - I have to think it might get some people thinking," he said. The guiding force behind the Sun is Ralph Ingersoil fditor-in-chief of the new paper and chairman of Ingersoli Publications Co., which operates 40 daily and 189 non-

daily newspapers in the United States and Europe. Among the newspapers published by Ingersoll are the suburban journals, which serve the suburbs that ring St Louis on both aides of the Mississippi river, as well as the Alton Telegraph in nearby Alton, Ill.

During a recent speech to the Missouri Press Associa-tion, Ingersofi said he believed that if the Sun succeeds, newspaper readership in the St Louis area will "rise to imprecedented levels."

The city already has the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, founded by newspaper giant Joseph Pulitzer. In 1986, but it lost the St Louis Globe-Democrat, which folded for a final

time after several attempts at revival. The Sun's imminent rise has attracted the attention of the national media, with recent articles in the Wall Street

Journal and USA Today, among other publications.

"I have to think that if you're in the media business, you know about our launch tomorrow," Jeknic said. He admitted that, with all the attention, "There's a little

Sun officials have been cheered by the response from subscribers. Jelenic said the newspaper had been prepared to start up with 32,000 charter subscribers, but subscriptions last week already had topped 50,000.

### Minister killed in plane crash

POSADAS, Argentina, Sept 24, (Reuter): An Argentine cabinet mini-ster and close friend of president Carlos Menem was killed yesterday when his plane crashed into a river

during a rainstorm, a survivor said. Health and Social Welfare MinisterJulio Corzo, 50, was travelling on a jet owned by the province of Misiones to launch a food stamp programme there. HONG KONG, Sept 24, (Reuter): More than 1,000 trade mion activists shouting "send them home" marched through the crowded streets of Hong Kong today demanding man-datory repatriation for Viet-

"We want the government to abolish the policy of port of first asylum for the Vietnamese, said Leung Hon-Hoi, deputy general secretary of the Hong Kong Federation of Trades Unions.

The unionists urged the govermment to introduce mandatory repatriation as soon as possible and demanded that Britain, which introduced the first asylum policy, pay for the upk-eep of more than 56,000 Vietnamese already in the colony.

The protesters, waving the banners of the 81 left-wing unions affiliated to the pro-Beijing federation, marched to government house, residence of British-appointed governor Sir David Wilson, where they presented a petition outlining their demands.

Hostility towards the Vietnamese has been growing with every new arrival. About 42,600 have arrived since June 1988 with daily arrivals peaking at more than 1,000 in May and June this

... Hundreds of residents in rural Sai Kung district spent every weekend in late June and July marching in protest against plans is build a refugee camp in their

They argued that the Viet-namese were a security risk and would pollute the area but failed to prevent the government from starting construction work.

"They present too heavy a burden on Hong Kong," said Leung.
"We've paid out \$1.5 billion (\$190,000 US), on them," he

Public antipathy has been further inflamed by every new outbreak of violence in the camps where overcrowding has caused

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BEIJING, Sept 24, (Agencies): China blamed Western nations today for strained relations with Beijing and said foreign governments are responsible for improving ties.

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A commentator wrote in a front-page editorial in the People's Daily, the Communist Party newspaper: "Some abnormai phenomena have appeared in our relations with some Western countries — the respon-sibility is not ours."

The lengthy editorial said, "the key to restoring and developing normal China policies is for these Western nations to abandon their prejudices ... (and) to proceed from long-term interests in adop-ting wise China policies."

Chinese exiles from around the world today chose an architect of China's failed reforms and a charismatic prodemocracy protest leader to guide the international opposition to communist rule in Beij-

### 27 girls die in dorm fire

KUALA LUMPUR, Sept 24, (UPI): Police said today the presence of candles, kerosene stoves and lamps in a dormitory may have caused the tragic fire that burned 27 girls to death at a

religious school.

They also criticised the administrators of the Islamic institution in the northwestern Malaysian state of Kedah for maintaining faulty extinguishers that hindered efforts to extin-

guish the blaze yesterday. The dead students, all between the ages of 13 and 16, were buried in a common grave with the death toll marking the fire as the

worst in the country's history. Prime Minister Mahathir Mohamed toured the privatelyowned Taufiqiah Khairiah Al Halimiah school in Padang Lumat, 400 kms north of Alor Star, and expressed his sorrow to grieving relatives.



Quayle (front row) and his wife Manilyn enjoys a ride on a roller-coaster in Yokohama. (Reuter wirephoto)

### Space accord reached

### Quayle, Kaifu hold talks

TOKYO, Sept 24, (AP): US Vice-President Dan Quayle and Japanese Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu

agreed today on a new plan for co-operation in space science, US officials said.

During official talks, Quayle and Kaifu witnessed the exchange of diplomatic notes on a project intended to measure the effects of solar radiation on the earth's magnetic field, senior US officials said.

The plan calls for Japan to provide a satellite and scientific instruments for the project. The United States also will provide scientific instruments and a 1992 lannch for the satellite, said a joint press

statement issued by Quayle and Kaifu.
The satellite will be Japan's main contribution to a larger research effort — the international solar terrestrial physics programme — involving Japan's Institute of Space and Aeronautical Science, the US National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the European Space Agency, said the officials,

speaking on condition of anonymity. The agreement, which will involve the first launching of a Japanese spacecraft from a foreign launcher, is part of Quayle's effort to develop a "global partnership" with Japan.

Quayle planned to tell Kaifu and other Japanese leaders that their two nations should team up on a wide range of issues, including space, drugs, Third World debt and promotion of democracy, one senior administration official said.

The vice-president believes too much of the US-Japan relationship has focused almost myopically on the trade issue," the official told reporters.

Resolving trade problems is important, but there is much more to the relationship than arguments over economic disputes," he said.

US officials said Quayle hoped to find particular areas in addition to space, where the United States and Japan could co-operate closely.



**Balancing** act

Waltresses from Kuala Lumpur's leading hotels, balance trays with glasses of water as they partook part in the race held in conjunction with the Malaysia Fest celebrations. (Reuter wirephoto)

### Teachers battle police

### Seoul ban challenged

SEOUL, Sept 24, (Reuter): South Korean teachers supporting a banned national union battled riot police in central Scoul

today, witnesses said.
Thousands of middle and high school teachers and university student supporters attacked police with stones and firebombs, yelling: "Away with dictatorship" and "restore sacked teachers."

Police fought back with teargas but no arrests were immediately reported.

It was the latest of a series of violent clashes since thousands of the country's 320,000 school teachers defied a government ban and set up a national trade

Today's protesters earlier held peaceful rally at the Presbyterian Yonsei University, demanding repeal of "repressive" laws and accusing the government of persecuting their struggle to achieve "democracy in education."

The government called the rafly illegal because laws regard teachers as civil servants and forbid them to form unions.

Thousands of teachers, students and supporters also demonstrated in eight cities across South Korea.

About 1,500 students hurled rocks and bottles at not police in downtown Scoul after they were blocked from entering Yonsei University. No injuries were reported immediately. Police detained dozens of protesters in

"Down with (President) Roh Tae-Woo," the protesters shouted as police firing tear gas chased them into alleys and side

About 1,000 teachers, students and workers held a separate anti-government rally after staying overnight inside the campus, which has been sealed off by thousands of riot police.

Police also reported scattered rallies in seven other cities. In the southern opposition stronghold of Kwangju, about 3,000 teachers and supporters demonstrated on a university campus, news reports said.

## Stop Khmer killers: appeal

### Eleven aid agencies voice concern

PHNOM PENH, Sept 24, (AP): Eleven Wes-tern aid agencies today urged the world community to take steps to prevent the brutal Khmer Rouge from returning to power as

Vietnam stages a troop pullout. The non-government aid agencies working in Phnom Penh voiced concern in a statement

issued at a press conference. "Our experience in Cambodia and our contact with Cambodians at all levels of society confirm that what Cambodians most fear is a

regime," the statement said.

Gen. Tea Banh, Defence Minister of Cambodia's Vietnamese-installed government, said yesterday that Khmer Rouge guerrillas have seized territory around the gem-rich town of Pailin near the Thai border.

return to the horrors of the Khmer Rouge

Intensified attacks are anticipated, he said. after Vietnam completes on Tuesday what it calls the pullout of its last 26,000 troops. Vietnam invaded Cambodia in late 1978 and

ousted the Khmer Rouge, communist fanatics who killed hundreds of thousands of people during a nearly four-year rule and experiment in radical agrarian reform.

The Khmer Rouge is now the largest member of a three-party guerrilla coalition fighting the Phnom Penh government.

The aid agencies' statement criticised some countries for insisting the Khmer Rouge must be part of a future coalition government.

## Khmer threat looms large

Sept 24, (UPI): A band of 20 Khmer Rooge guerrillas captured Koy Than as he tended his cows. tied his arms behind his back, put 2 pistol to his head and fired.

"I fell to the ground and preten-ded to be dead. There was a lot of blood so they went away," said Koy Than as he shifted his bandages to show the bullet hole beneath his ear.

The young farmer in the Kom-pong Speu hospital was incky. The bullet entered behind his jaw and exited through his mouth. He is one of the few to survive such

Klamer Rouge attention.

The penetration of the Khmer Rouge just six days ago at the Koy Than's village seven miles (12 km) from the provincial capital of Kompong Spen, about 30 miles (50 km) southeast of Pimom Penh, is indicative of the ability of the guerrilla group to move about rural Cambodia.

And his near-execution was typical of the bitter struggle being fought in the countryside. With Vietnam's announ

of the withdrawal of the last of its troops by Tuesday, that struggle may intensify. But officials and endent observers agree that the resistance is not yet strong enough to make dramatic gains.

Despite the presence of h dreds of foreign journalists travelling about the country this week to view the withdrawal, the resistance was mable to stage any attacks to embarrass the govern-

"With the pullout of our troops, the military part will not change, but there will be a different spirit and a different feeling because now the Cambodian people know they must fight for themselves" said Ngo Dien, Vietnam's long-time ambassador in Plmom Penh.

Vietnam argued that the Vietnamese troops who swept the Khmer Rouge from power in early 1979 were no longer needed and no longer even useful because they gave the resistance a convenient appeal to Cambodian nationalism and age-old, anti-Vietnamese feelings.

He said Cambodians would fight the Khmer Rouge because they feared a return to the radical communist policies practised by the Chinese-backed Khmer Ronge from 1975 to 1979.

"The withdrawal of our troops is a challenge to the resistance to make some advances, but I don't think they can," he said.

Brig. Gen. Nguyen Van Thai, Brig. Gen. Nguyen Van Thai, spokesman for the Vietnamese Defence Ministry, said 23,000 resistance guerrillas were now operating inside Cambodia, with another 27,000 in camps long the Thai-Cambodian border.

Cambodian Defence Minister Gen. Tie Banh refused to give a figure for his regular Army, but said the militia numbered more than 300,000. Resistance sources

than 300,000. Resistance sources have put the government regular Army total about 40,000 men.

"The Vietnamese forces have completed their task and are returning home, so now we have to fill the vacuum with our own

troops," he said.
Increased military recruitment bowever, has brought increased resentment at the government's compulsory draft for men aged 18-

A senior official admitted that earlier this year, troops rounded up draft-age youths at cinemas and private homes in Planom Penh and forced them to join the

A Vietnamese soldier relaxes in a hammock with a guitar under the shade of an Army truck parked along Highway One. (Reuter wirephoto)



Vietnamese soldiers wave at Cambodian towns people and foreign reporters. (Reuter wirephoto)

### 'Eliminate murderers from coalition'

### Concessions OK: Hun Sen

PHNOM PENH, Sept 24, (Agencies): Prime Minister Hun Sen said today he was prepared to make concessions in proposed new Cambodia peace talks only if resistance leader Prince Norodom Sihanouk agreed to eliminate the Khmer Rouge from his

The Khmer Rouge, with about 40,000 battle-hardened guerrillas, is the largest and most powerful group in the resistance coalition, which also includes followers of Sihanouk and backers of former Prime Minister Son Sann.

Hun Sen said the Khmer Rouge, blamed for the deaths of an estimated 1.5 million Cambodians during its brutal 1975-79 rule, must be eliminated as a military force.

Vietnam said the last of its 26,000 soldiers would be out of Cambodia by Tuesday. Vietnam invaded Cambodia in December 1978, toppled the Khmer Rouge regime and installed the current government in Phnom Penh.

Hun Sen said the Vietnamese withdrawal removed the last justification for Sihanouk's

alliance with the Khmer Rouge.

He said he had agreed to a Thai proposal for a new round of peace talks with the Cambodian resistance in hopes of avoiding an escalation of the civil war. but said no date or venue for the meeting had been

In Jakarta, Indonesian Foreign Minister Ali Alatas said his country was willing to play host to the talks but so far had not received confirmation from any of the parties they would attend. Bangkok and Paris also have been mentioned as possible sites for

### Stone man terrorizes

### Street people of Calcutta live in fear

CALCUTTA, Sept 24, (AP): As night falls, tens of thousands of people prepare to spend another night on the streets, fearing a modern-day Jack the Ripper known as "stone man" will strike again.
Police say stone man has killed at least seven

people since June 4. His victims have been destitute people sleeping alone on deserted street corners in Calcutta. Each died by a sharp, single blow to the head. A large rock

was found nearby.
"Usually we have problems of thieves, police harassment and bad weather. And now we have this Stone Man," Rakimunessa, a 65-year-old beggar, said as she prepared a bed of coir mat and tattered sheets on Hare street, just metres (yards) from the spot where Stone Man claimed a victim early this month.

While she sleeps, her son, a 35-year-old junk dealer, keeps watch.

"It is terrible. Each night I pray it should not happen to my son or to me," Rakimunessa said. Calcutta's chief detective, Prashun Mukherjee. said police believe Stone Man is a psychopath.

"We are trying to catch the man and find out his motives," he said. But he admitted, "it's going to be a difficult job to catch the killer." Another senior police officer, Rachpal Singh, said

the killings seem to be carefully planned and the killer knows exactly where to deliver the fatal blow. "Apart from the huge stone, there are no clues left behind. The stone man seems to carefully pick and choose his victims," Singh said.

The sidewalk dwellers are terrified. Hundreds have moved their shabby bed rolls close to police booths around the city.

At Old Court House Street, they have set up

watch squads that take turns patrolling the downtown Calcutta road where more than 2,000 people, mostly construction workers, tea shop workers and

cart and rickshaw pullers, spend the night. "We don't have any weapon. Our only weapon is to keep some people on guard," said Sukhdev

Sharma, a 40-year-old man sitting on his cart surrounded by his compatriots.

"We have asked everyone in our group not to sleep in isolated places because the Stone Man attacks only those who sleep alone," he said. City officials estimate the sidewalk population at

65,000 to 80,000. But local newspapers and resident said there could be as many as one million people living on the 130 kilometres (80 miles) of sidewalks in this impoverished, overcrowded city. The fear of the Stone Man also has spread to the

more affluent residents of Calcutta, India's largest city with 10 million people. "I'm scared even though I don't sleep on the pavement. I don't know if I may be attacked while

walking on the streets," said a young woman employed in a hotel. Police have arrested several suspects in the past three months. During a night sweep through the city

on Sept 13, they arrested 150 people but released 143 and sent five to asylums. Two are still being ques-One of those arrested Sept 13 was caught while allegedly attempting to kill a sidewalk sleeper with a

stone. He reportedly told police "I wanted just to run and throw a stone. I never wanted to kill Authorities and local newspapers have compared the mysterious killer to "Jack the Ripper," who in

1888 stabbed prostitutes to death on the streets of The newspapers, quoting psychologists, also have suggested the stone man night be paranoid. Another theory advanced by medical experts is that he might

be driven to kill by the city's economic problems. "I can't tell you who the Stone Man is and why he is doing it, but it has brought the problems of poor pavement people into focus again," said Dr. Bhaskar Roy Chowdhury, a former neurophysician

and now vice chancellor of Calcutta University.

### union this year. Vigilante squads set up to ward off tigers

villagers.

DHAKA, Sept 24, (Reuter): Villagers around the Sundarban forest in southern Bangladesh have set up vigilante squads to save themselves from prowling tigers that sneak out of the jungle in search of men to eat, forests officials said today.

The decision to form such squads was taken after a Royal Bengal tiger broke into a far-mer's cowshed on Sept 12 and killed five head of cattle before being axed to death by angry

Armed with guns, drums and trumpets, groups of young men now patrol villages near the huge mangrove forest, the home to 600 Royal Bengals, 200,000 deer and lots of other

Some of the young men carry burning tor-ches made with bamboo and rags doused in

We stay on guard during the night and sleep by turn. Our aim is to scare away any invading beast and kill it if unavoidably needed," said a resident of Baidyamari

Forest officials said increased salinity in small rivers and canals criss-crossing Sundarban depletes the number of wild boars and fish and lures tigers into villages to eat people and domesticated animals.

"Tigers began moving outside the jungles too often after thousands of deer and other animals they usually eat were killed during the November, 1988, cyclone and tidal waves."





Baker and Shevardnadze hold a working lunch with their staffs on a rise overlooking the Grand Tetons and Jackson Lake yesterday. (Reuter wirephoto)





Baker and Shevardnadze walk (right) through the woods of Grand Teton National Park during a break n their meeting and shake hands after signing the accords. (Reuter wirephotos)

## Agreements signed

### Accord on chemical weapons

JACKSON HOLE, Wyotning, Sept 24, (AP): The United States and the Soviet Union have signed a halfdozen accords and cleared a major roadblock to a long-range nuclear weapons treaty, then capped the day with the announcement that a super-Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard

Shevardnadze, who spent the week-end in talks with Secretary of State Tames Raker said that the summit between US President George Bush and Soviet President Mikhail Gorba-chev would be held in spring or early Shevardnadze also announced a

key concession from Moscow to move ahead toward a long-range weapons agreement despite its objec-tions to the United States' Strategic Defence Initiative space-based antimissile programme.

First official word of the summit plans came from Bush, who infor-med reporters on a golf course near his vacation home in Maine after taking a telephone call from Baker.

"I think around the world people will be pleased," he said. Bush expressed pleasure with the outcome of the weekend talks and said he would meet Gorbachev in the United States, possibly in Washington.

Later, in a written statement, Bush I envision a broad discussion of the full agenda that the two sides have established - human rights, bilateral relations, arms control, regional issues and transnational

Bush spoke more than a thousand miles (1,600 kms) from the Rocky mountain resort where Shevardnadze and Baker reached agreement on a chemical weapons accord and several other points. ats include:

■ Exchange of data on chemical weapons by the end of the year and visits by inspectors of the other side to stockpiles and plants by June 30. In a second phase, there would be more intensive on-site inspections of

An "umbrella agreement" in principle that there should be verification of missile plants and information exchanged even before a treaty to slash long-range nuclear weapons is

Advance notification to the other side of exercises with long-range bombers and other strategic

A ceiling of 10 on launchers carrying mobile intercontinental ballistic missiles at any one base. Some of the siles at any one base. Some of the launchers would be exposed for mon-

power of the International Court of Justice to settle disputes.

Two agreements to facilitate movement across the Bering Straits of Eskimos in Alaska and Eskimos in Siberia for visits.

Agreement on interpreting international rules for ship movements.

Baker later told reporters that the two sides "took a series of steps across the full arms control agenda to overcome old misconceptions and build trust.

In one of a pair of conciliatory gestures. Shevardnadze said the Soviets would dismantle their Kras-noyarsk radar facility. The United States has charged the Siberian radar was intended to be part of a space-based defence system outlawed in a 1972 treaty.

The Soviet foreign minister insisted, however, the United States should "remove our concerns" about US radar stationed in Greenland and

Baker said later he would be surprised if the Soviets were demanding that the US facilities be dismantled.

Baker said Shevardnadze wanted to send Soviet inspectors to the sites to make sure the radar is legal under the 1972 treaty. The Soviets also removed another key impediment to a strategic arms

agreement, dropping their demand that the pact include limits on sub-marine-launched cruise missiles, Shevardnadze and Baker said in consecutive new conferences. During the talks, the Soviets said a

deal to limit nuclear-tipped SLCMs can be reached in a separate, simultaneous agreement, Shevardnadze and his aides said.

But the United States remains sceptical that ways can be found to monitor nuclear SLCMs, said Baker. Senior US arms control aides predicted the Soviets might not insist on completing the SLCM agreement before signing the more sweeping strategic arms accord.

Shevardnadze also told reporters that Moscow was making a major concession in arms control negotiations, announcing that his govern-ment would not let its objections to the United States' SDI programme block completion of a treaty to cut long-range nuclear submarines, missiles and bombers by 30 to 50 per

## Hopes of arms cut as summit is set for 1990

US-Soviet relations 'good'

KENNEBUNKPORT, Maine, Sept 24, (UPI): President Bush announced yesterday that he would meet with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev next spring or early summer at a summit held in the United

Bush, who summoned reporters to a rain-soaked golf course in Kennebunkport, Maine, to make the announcement, said Secretary of State James Baker and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze

arranged the summit at their two-day meeting in Jackson, Wyo. "It's good news and I'm very pleased at what the secretary has been able to accomplish." Bush said from Kennebunkport, where he is

an active weekend at his home on the Maine coast, was on the 10th hole of Cape Arundel golf club, playing in a steady rain, when informed from Wyoming by Secretary of State James Baker - in a call taken at a golf cart over a portable telephone - that the summit was on for next year. After insisting for months that

he would not be rushed into a summit by the Soviets or political critics at home, Bush announced the time was finally right to set into motion the diplomatic spadework needed to stage a formal summit in the United States in "late spring or early summer."

While the precise date has yet to be determined, gauged per-haps to the progress of negotiations on conventional forces in Europe, Bush said the plans are set and that Washington would

be the "proper" place to meet.

During the Reagan administration, the United States and Soviet Union agreed to rotate the locations of their regular sum-

meeting was held in Moscow in 1988 — a luncheon meeting last December in New York of Gorbachev, Reagan and Bush was not given full summit status — Baker said on Thursday that the next meeting would be held in the United States. In a written statement, Bush

pronounced the state of US-Soviet relations to be "good" and said, "I have enjoyed a positive working relationship with Mr. Gorbachev."

Nodding in seeming acknowledgement when asked whether the time frame might have been shorter, Bush nevertheless told reporters that the len-gth of time the two sides have to work up to the summit "gives us time to move forward on a lot of

"It's not under the time gun," he said, "and yet, the summit being set, I think it will be useful on both sides to pushing both bureaucracies forward, both decision-making teams forward,

Bush promised a summit covering "a wide array of subjects," but placed particular focus on prospects for movement in arms control at the end of a week that saw Senate Democratic leader George Mit-chell accuse him of "timidity" in dealing with the Soviets and change in Eastern Europe.

In contrast to his previous reticence on the summit issue, Bush looked forward to the opportunity to discuss arms control and "plenty of other stuff" when he meets with Gorbachev and said he was "very pleased overall" with the progress made in Wyoming by Baker and

Shevardnadze. The location of the annual economic summit of the seven major democracies also rotates back to the United States in 1990 and Bush suggested that meeting, usually held in the late spring or early summer may be put off until the fall.

The final decision, Bush said, will be made in consultation with The call from Baker reached

Bush and he and his golf partners National Security adviser Brent Scowcroft and club pro Ken Raynor - were nearing the 9th green. Bush took the call after teeing off on the 10th hole and summoned umbrella-totting reporters and photographers to the fairway to announce the sum-

mit while dripping with rain. That done he hopped back into his golf cart and sped off with Paynor to the banks of the nearby Kennebunk river for more than 20 minutes of unproductive fishing in what by then was a driving rain.

Improved US-Soviet relations along with other factors offer the rare prospect of a decline in worldwide military spending, according to a new spending the weekend at the family retreat.

Bush, who interrupted a round of golf to make the announcement said he hoped the summit would move both governments toward further arms reductions.

"It's not my view that summits must have arms control agreements Bush said, "but we're going to be working towards (them) with full faith, going forward in every way to achieve further arms reductions.
"That's been a goal of mine for a long time, I think it's a goal of Mr
Gorbachev's and so I would say that there's a chance for agreements of



Bush interrupts his golf game to announce that a summit between him and Gorbachev would take place in the US next year. (Reuter wirephoto)

MOSCOW, Sept 24, (AP): British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher yesterday predicted success for President Mikhail Gorbachev's

gone too far to be stopped.
"I believe perestrolka is now set on
its course and will go through to success," the conservative British leader told a news conference after four hours of talks with the Soviet President during her one-day stopover between Tokyo and London. She returned

bome after the news conference.

It was their fifth meeting since Gorbachev was maned Communist Party chief in 1985. Thatcher was the first major Western leader to see Gorbachev since this summer's wave of strikes by miners in the Ukraine and Siberia and flareups of ethnic violence in Georgia, Uzbekistan and Kazakheten.

She expressed confidence in the 58year-old Kremlin leader and his programme for economic and social reforms, saying it "opens up vistas and horizons not available to the people of the Soviet Union for some 70 years."

Asked about current domestic woes faced by Gorbacher's reform drive, she replied, "anything bold and purposeful will have difficulties to it."

One of the topics discussed by the leaders was arms control. Thatcher said she had been in touch with US President George Bush on the matter efore meeting with Gorbachev at the

hremm.

She declined to comment on anything Gorbachev may have told her on the reported dramatic swing in the Soviet position on a superpower treaty being negotiated to stask long-range macker weapons arstnals.

Since the United States had refused to yield to Soviet demands to trim its space-defence programme, known as

to yield to Soviet demands to trim its space-defence programme, known as "Star Wars," completing a super-power freaty to reduce strategic weapons by 30 to 50 per cent had seemed improbable.

Asked whether Gorbachev had mentioned the autitob in the South

unentioned the switch in the Soviet
Union's position, Thatcher told reporters gathered at the Soviet Foreign
Ministry press centre that any
amouncement on that subject should be made in the United States.

On other disarmament topics, she said she left her meeting with Gorba-chev believing that East and West can reach an agreement reducing conven tional weapoury by next year. She also said prospects were "encouraging" for a ban on chemical weapons. The 'official Soviet news agency

Tage said Soviet concerns in the talks would include Thatcher's support for Western plans to modernise shortrange muclear weapons.

## Maggie Autonomy plan predicts watered down Success Azeris sovereign

MOSCOW, Sept 24, (Reuter): The Kremlin has watered down plans for greater autonomy for the 15 Soviet republics amid signs that President Mikhail Gorbachev's appeal to restless minorities to cool their national-

A Communist Party's Central Committee programme published today retained a number of concessions to the country's national minorities which featured in a draft produced for discussion last month.

But the final version, adopted by the committee on Wednesday, cuts back several rights initially promised to Republican parliaments and condemns moves in Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania to form separate communist parties.

Although promising sovereig-nty to the Soviet republics, the plan says any of their laws which contradict Soviet law can be overruled, apparently rejecting a right claimed by Estonia for the supremacy of its own legislation.

It also dismissed as "unacceptable in principle," plans to form separate republican communist parties, echoing comments made by Gorbachev at a meeting with Baltic leaders almost two weeks

Publication of the report, which filled two pages in the Communist Party newspaper Pravda, followed increasing signs that an appeal by Gorba-chev at last week's Central Committee session for more tolerance and responsibility has not been heeded by restive ethnic minTass reported late yesterday that three youths aged 16 and 17 had been killed and five injured in street battles involving Russians and Kazakhs in the central Asian city of Semipalatinsk. It blamed the fighting on a

settling of accounts "between neighbourhoods" - a suggestion that it was the latest in a series of outbreaks of ethnic violence which has killed more than 250 people since the start of iast vear.

There was also no sign of an easing in tension in the Transcaucasus, where the Azerbaijani Parliament yesterday passed a law making clear in would not relax control over Nagorno-Karabakh, a region claimed by neighbouring Armenia.

And, in Lithuania, the Parliament adopted a report by a parliamentary commission denouncing the Red Army's occupation in 1940 and dismissing as invalid a subsequent vote to join the Soviet Union.

Azerbaijan yesterday became the latest Soviet republic to declare itself "sovereign" and give its own laws precedence over those promulgated from Moscow, journalists reported.

The law on sovereignty approved yesterday by the republic's Supreme Soviet establishes the "integrity, indivisibility and inviolability" of Azerbaijan's territory, said Arif Aliev, an independent journalist.

Azerbaijan was also declared "independent" in all matters except those it delegates voluntarily to national authorities in Moscow, Aliev said.

### Ammo dump fire kills 1

MOSCOW, Sept 24. (Reuter): Workmen "horsing around" while painting a Soviet military storehouse set fire to an ammunition dump, killing a soldier and sending shells screaming into a nearby Siberian town, Soviet

soldier and sending shells screaming into a nearby Siberian town, Soviet press reports said today.

The newspaper Trud said 20,000 people were evacuated from the town of Yurga and neighbouring villages. One house was damaged and another shell smashed through the wall of an empty kindergarten.

The government newspaper Izvestia said the blast occurred late on Thursday or early on Friday after painters "horsing around" set fire to

Most of the shells did not explode on impact and Izvestia said authorities had recovered 30 unexploded shells from around the town.

### Soviet House to debate reforms

MOSCOW, Sept 24, (Agencies): Freedom of the press, religion and even property are on the agenda for the Soviet legislature's second session on Monday that promises to be exhilarating even if many radical reforms have little chance of approval.

The four-month-old legislative body merely reacted to Kremlin proposals in its first session last summer, but this session will feature a new group of 345 progressive deputies who joined ranks last month. The interregional group spent yesterday hammering out an alternative platform of proposed laws once unthinkable in the Soviet Union, such as the freedom to start a

The group, comprising such well-known figures as human rights leader Andrei Sakharov and maverick communist Boris Yeltsin, also called for the open sale of paper, printing presses and copy machines. Under the continuing system of censorship, distribution of these items is strictly limited. Copy machines are still kept under tight lock and

key in most of the Soviet Union.

The group planned to vote on the proposed platform today, said economist Gavrill Popov, one of its leaders.

The national legislature, or Supreme Soviet, has a formida-ble agenda. In 45 days, it expects to act on 80 bills dealing with such critical issues as guaranteeing human rights, calming ethnic strife and salvaging an economy widely agreed to be lurching toward disaster.

"All are very important," Deputy Sergei S. Alekseyev told a government-sponsored press conference on Friday. "Ali

should be adopted." The Supreme Soviet once was a rubber-stamp body that met a few days a year to manimously approve every action of the Kremlin leaders, but in a few menths it has become a diverse body aheady famous for spicy debate. Alekseyev said there are no less than four versions of the new law on the press and "glas-nost," President Mikhail Gorbachev sprogramme of openness.
One version calls for a complete ban on censorship, staterun Radio Moscow reported on

The draft platform of the interregional group challenges the tools long used by the government to control the Soviet population. It calls for eliminafreedom to move in and out of the country, access for defence lawyers to investigative reports, public financing of parliamentary factions, creation of non-

unemployment insurance. But even the inter-regional group does not suggest ending one of the most sacred precepts of Soviet communism: The ban on private ownership of land. The idea does, however, have the support of many Baltic deputies.

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After years in the thick of the Communist Party's struggle to build Soviet socialism, Yeltsin says he knows a place where the average working man is happy

That place, he is telling his Soviet supporters, is in the United States.

The silver-haired populist, an irritant for the past two years to President Mikhail Gorbachev and much of the Soviet establishment, returned last week from a nine-city US tour to face two pressing controversies.

One was licked in a matter of

days when Pravda, the powerful Communist Party daily newspaper, publicly apologized for reprinting an article that alleged Yeltsin drank heavily and spent profligately in the United States. The other controversy centres

on his comments about life in the United States, which are filled with wide-eyed wonder reminiscent of the tales told by new world immigrants of past genera-

### More cross to freedom

VIENNA, Austria, Sept 24, (AP): The number of East Germans cross-ing from Hungary to Austria swelled to a new daily record of 819 from early yesterday to this morning, authorities reported.

This brought the total of East German refugees arriving in the West since Hungary opened the border for

them on Sept 11 to 19,906.
Meanwhile, a Soviet citizen has applied for refugee status in Hungary after arriving last Toesday, the Hungarian Mai Nap newspaper reported today. He was identified as Mihalich

Rudolf, a 33-year-old ethnic Hun-garian from Uzhgorod, who worked as a butcher and cook. He arrived at the Zugliget camp for East German refugees, vowing not to return to the Soviet Union, the report said.

## **Danes fine**

3 airlines COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Sept 24, (AP): Denmark has fined three airline companies - Belgian Sabena, Soviet Aeroflot and Czech CSA—for carrying refugees to Den-mark without valid passports or visas, newspapers reported yester-

It was the first time that a Danish court sentenced airlines for transporting illegal refugees to Denmark. KENNEBUNKPORT, Maine, Sept 24, (Reuter): Buoyed by talk of a new era in US-Soviet relations, US President George Bush will toast the triumph of freedom in a speech to the United Nations

Bush makes his maiden presidential speech to the world body two days after Secretary of State James Baker and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze signed a series of deals and announced that Bush would meet President Mikhail Gorbachev in

the spring.

Baker declared "a new spirit of openness" and

said "we've moved from confrontation, to dialogue, and now to co-operation." Shevardnadze said they had moved energetically towards new heights in their relations.

A few days earlier, in a Washington news conference, Baker said Moscow and Washington now talked "about things that we never dreamed, not iong ago, that we would be talking to them about." Bush will stress this theme by pointing out how much the world has changed since he was the US

envoy to the UN from 1971 to 1973. Senior White House aides say he will also expand

He will point to the reform movements in Hungary, Poland and the Soviet Union itself as evidence

Certain that the world was watching, Gorbachev used a United Nations address last December to

on his inaugural day declaration that a "new breeze" of freedom and democracy is blowing around the

that his cautious policies are fostering both political and economic freedom.

announce dramatic unilateral cuts in Soviet military

Bush to toast freedom in maiden UN speech as new era emerges in US-Soviet relations community to ban chemical weapons, explain his foreign policy goals and make a broad appeal for international co-operation to protect the environment, promote economic prosperity, fight drug trafficking and combat terrorism.

The United States pays most and owes most to the United Nations. The USA owes more than half of the \$1.3 billion shortfall in the UN's budget for day-to-day business and peacekeeping operations. ■ Shevardnadze will pay a working visit to Nicaragua in early October, the official news agency strength.

Bush is expected to appeal to the international

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Refugees, vowing not to return to use
Soviet Union, the report said.



O God! save Lebanon, prays a woman after returning to Berrut. (Reuter wirephoto)

Kenyan policemen killed in border clash

### Somalia offers talks

MOGADISHU, Sept 24, (Agencies): Somalia has sent a fact-finding mission to its border with Kenya after Nairobi protested that Somali troops had killed four policemen last Wednesday, the Foreign Ministry said today.

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The dission magaded very Deputy Defence Minister Brigadier-General Mohamed Said Morgan, was ready to meet Kenyan officials at the scene of the reported incident, the minis-

On Saturday Kenyan President Daniel Arap Moi said he had ordered his security forces to repel any further attacks and if necessary enter Somalia in hot

pursuit of attackers.

The Somali statement, broadcast by Mogadishu Radio, said Somali security forces were pursuing armed bandits near the

Kenyan border town of Liboi on-September 20 when Kenvan security forces opened fire on

The Kenyan forces "opened the way for the bandits, enabling them to cross into Kenya," the statement said.

The ministry denied that any Somali refugees had crossed into Kenya, but said a handful of "bandits and poachers" describ-

with the Communist Party.

prime minister Sadeq Al Mahdi.

parties, parliament and trade unions.

Sudan reds arrested

**Anti-junta rally** 

KHARTOUM, Sept 24. (Agencies): Sudan's military junta has arrested several communists following the first public demonstrations against its rule, a Khartoum newspaper reported today.

The state-owned Al Inquz Al Watani (national salvation) said junta member Brigadier Ibrahim Nayel Idam, head of the country's national security service, confirmed several members of the outlawed Commun-

The arrests followed a demonstration on Wednesday night by

hundreds of Khartonn university students calling on the military to step down and restore democracy which disrupted a pro-junta rally on

Witnesses said the student protester belonged to or were sympathetic

It was the first public protest against the rule of the 15-man junta

since it seized power in a military coup on June 30 toppling former

Diplomatic sources say at least 50 politicians, including Mahdi, are in detention. Among them is Mohammed Ibrahim Nogd, the Com-

The junta, led by General Omar Hassan Al Bashir, has imposed a

state of emergency, suspended the constitution and dissolved political

A senior military officer said that ousted prime minister Sadq Al

Mandiand more than 20 other former politicians are guilty of "political

munist Party's secretary-general and Mahdi's wife Sara.

ing themselves as refugees may have crossed over.

It urged Kenya not to give undue publicity to the bandits and to usediplomatic channels to resoive any problems affecting the two countries.

security forces were chasing

"bandits and poachers" inside Somalia, who fled to the Kenya

provided them with an escape route," the ministry official was quoted as saying. "At the same time the Kenyan forces fired at

the Somali security forces who

miles) northeast of Nairobi, is

about 16 kilometres (10 miles)

west of the Somali town of

Doble, which reportedly was

attacked by Somali troops last

That raid sent several

thousand Somalis fleeing across

the border into Kenya and resul-

ted in the emergence of a new

insurgent force calling itself the

Somali sources in Kenya said Wednesday's incident occurred

as Somali forces pursued the newly formed rebel group in the

In a report from Liboi late

yesterday, the Kenya news agency said more than 3,000

Somali refugees were camped

outside the town, a report refuted

Too high

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ALGIERS, Sept 24, (Reuter): An unqualified imam cut in half the 10th century pulpit of

an Algerian mosque because

he found it a little too high for

He left the bottom half of

the pulpit in the mosque and

threw the rest onto a mun-

icipal rubbish dump last

week, the official Algeriac news agency APS reported

yesterday.
The pulpit in Cherchell, 80 km (50 miles) west of Algiers,

had been listed as part of

Algeria's national, heritage

Museum specialists said it would be difficult to put the

pulpit back together again as

a piece including the date and

the name of the cabinet maker

had disappered, APS said.

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"The Kenyan security forces

In Nairobi, the Kenya news gency reported today that over agency reported today unat over 3,000 Somali refugees were camped near Liboi.

A refugee spokesman was quoted as saying 68 people had been shot dead while escaping from Somalia and 69 others had died of starvation. More refugees were arriving

daily, the agency said. Addressing a rally yesterday,

President Moi said it was hard to tell who was running Somalia because the government there had disintegrated. He said the Somali army had

massacred whole villages on the Somali side of the border and some people had escaped into Kenya in search of food and shel-Radio Mogadishu quoted an

unidentified Foreign Ministry spokesman as saying Kenya "gave an incomplete picture of the incident to the international community.

The radio quoted the ministry

## Children mistreated by Egyptian police

CAIRO, Sept 24, (Reuter): Egyptian doctors have accused police of detaining and mistreating children as young as four after raids on alleged Muslim extremist hideouts.

They told reporters that armed police stormed flats housing 80 children aged between four and 13 who were on a trip to the Mediterranean city of Alexandria. The raids were aimed at rounding up extremists suspected of recruiting young-

The doctors some of them fathers of children rounded up in the August raids told a news conference yesterday that police dragged youngsters out of bed at their pyjamas and took them to state security quarters for questioning.

Several children were slapped across the face, the doctors said.

The youngsters spent the rest of the night on the floor before being sent to a reform school. They were returned to police stations where frantic parents picked them up and signed a paper staying they would not send them on trips organised by religious groups

Interior Ministry officials were not immediately available for comment. Security sources said last month that around 20 young Muslim Brotherhood

shed flats for indoctrinating children and brainwashing them that the government was un-Islamic.

The sources said the Alexandria flats, rented by doctor and Member of Parliament Essam Eryan, were raided after suspicious neighbours told police that men disappeared with the children in the morning and only returned them at

The Muslim Brotherhood -- of which Eryan is a vocal member - is officially banned as a party but is allowed to operate in alliance with two secular groups in

But Interior Minister Zaki Badr, who has ordered the detention of at least 2,000 suspected Muslim fundamentalists over the past five months, accuses Brotherhood members of being extremists, drug smugglers and black market currency dealers.

Hani Mohammed Ali, a 13-year-old boy who was on the trip, told the news conference their 13 supervisors used to wake hem before dawn to pray and read the Holy Quran. After breakfast they spent the day sight seeing or at the seaside. Before they went to bed they usually sang religious songs.

## Truce takes hold, airport reopens

### Refugees flooding back to Beirut

BEIRUT, Sept 24. (Agencies): Three flights landed at Beirut international airport and a cargo ship sailed into a Christian-controlled port today, raising hopes that a ceasefire was holding after six months of Syrian-

'It's music to our ears," said Randa Masri with tears in her eyes after a freight plane of Trans Mediterranean Airlines, a Lebanese cargo line, circled over the capital before landing at the airport on its southern outskirts at 10.20 am (0720 GMT).

Beirut residents stopped in the streets or rushed to balconies, rooftops and windows, craning their necks to look at the plane. A security committee made up of officials from the warring factions and headed by Lakhdar Al-Ibrahimi, an Assistant Secretary-General of the Arab League, met for the second time today to discuss how to solidify

the ceasefire and implement a peace plan. Officials announced the daytime opening of all crossings between Christian East Beirut and Muslim West

Beint. Only one crossing has been open sporadically during the latest outbreak of lighting.

The committee had met for the first time yesterday as some of the most ferocious artiflery battles in Lebanon's 14-year-old civil war

came to an end.

By police count, 929 people have been killed and 2,741 wounded. nearly all of them civilians, since the bombardments began March 8 between Gen. Michel Aoun's mostly Christian Army units and Syrian troops joined by allied Lebanese Muslim militias.

The airport, port and crossing reopenings prompted Sunni Muslim grand multi Sheikh Mohammed Rashid Kabbani to say they were "the first step on the road to resolving the Lebanese crisis."

Carrying a cargo of clothing, the TMA jet was the first plane to land at the airport, the nation's only civil aviation facility, since it closed March 12, the longest shutdown since Lebenon's civil war broke out

Knwak on Sunday welcomed the acceptance of an Arab League peace plan by warring sides in Lebanon. The Knwaiti cabinet welcomed the acceptance by all Lebanese of the Arab tripartite committee peace plan to end the tragic situation in Lebanon," Planning Minister Abdul Rahman Al-Awadi told reporters.

At 11.37 am (0837 GMT) the first passenger plane belonging to Middle East Airlines, Lebanon's national carrier, landed on a flight from the Saudi Arabian port city of Jeddah with eight passengers aboard. They were greeted by several hun-dred happy airport and airline

employees and bystanders.
The same MEA aircraft then took

off for Larnaca, Cyprus, where it loaded 57 passengers and landed back in Berrut in mid-afternoon, said airline of icials in Cyprus and Lebanon. The plane later took off for

"After 197 days of unemployment I feel extremely happy that I'm work-ing again," Salim Salaam, chairman of the airline's board, told the Associated Press.

Ibrahimi arrived at the airport

after the first two planes landed and met briefly with the airport's general manager, Khaled Saab. After the meeting, Ibrahimi told reporters he will ask other Arab airlines to resume

flights to Beirut.
Thousands of refugees from months of vicious shelling continued flooding back into their war-battered

Police said a cargo ship docked at Beirut port in Christian East Beirut without targeted by Syrian fire. They had no information about the ship's flag or cargo. Two more ships were expected to

dock soon, Beirut port authorities

The leaders of Syria's two main Muslim militia allies in Lebanon said today they rejected an Arab document for political reforms, saying it merely patched up the present system favouring Christians.

It is not a reform plan but a des-

tructive plan. It is rejected because we want to eliminate political confes-sionalism," said Nabih Berri, head of the Shiite Amal militia. The United States and Soviet

Union issued an urgent appeal yes-

terday for an end to the suffering of

Lebanese people and freedom for

foreign hostages there.

### Stop inter-Arab killings: Arafat

Sept 24, (Agencies): Masked Palestinians axed to death a suspected informer in the Gaza Strip today as PLO leader Yasser Arafat appealed for a halt to inter-Arab bloodshed in the occupied territories.

Hospital official said Rafah resident Majed An Nawaji. 26, was attacked by assailants armed with knives and axes in the fourth killing of a suspected collaborator in three days.

An Israeli army spokesman said Nawaji was stabbed to death and police were investigating the motive.

Arafat, in a handwritten letter

dated Aug 28 which reached the Gaza Strip today, urged Palestinians to "be a melting pot and halt the internal fighting.

The letter was addressed to jailed members of Fatah, the PLO's main wing, and Hamas, the Islamic resistance movement.

"I direct you and urge you to be united in one heart ... to have freedom of expression without exaggeration ... we must be a melting pot and halt the internal

fighting," the letter said. One suspected collaborator was strangled at the weekend in the Ketziot desert prison camp for uprising activists.

Palestinian sources said tension has run high recently between PLO and Hamas activists in the prison, and clashes have erupted between them.

In Jerusalem, police said a petrol bomb was hurled at a police car near Damascus Gate.

ausing no damage or injuries. In the West Bank town of Beit Sahour, tax officials confiscated property for the fourth day to punish residents who have

against the occupation. Soldiers and taxmen entered houses and seized television sets and video records, witnesses

Five Israeli peace activists met Egyptian Ambassador Moham-med Bassiouny in Tel Aviv to voice support for Egyptian proposals to advance Israel-Palestinian peace talks. The jailed leader of the Islamic

resistance movement Hamas said yesterday that he does not support Israel's election plan for the occupied territories or Egypt's 10 proposals on the I'm not for or against," Sheikh Ahmed Yassin told Israel's

Arabic television in an unprecedented interview in the yard of his Israeli prison. Yassin said while the Palestin ians believe in democracy, he

cannot support elections under the present circumstances. He said Israel, not the Arabs, must now make concessions. Israeli peace activists seeking

to talk to their Palestinian neighbours yesterday got a warm welcome from Arab villagers and a frosty reception from troops. At least 50 members of the

Peace Now group drove from Jerusalem along twisting lanes and unpaved mountain tracks, trying to dodge army road blocks and reach the West Bank village of Tukua where Palestinians had invited them to talk peace.

The occupied West Bank's army chief, Major General Yitzak Mordechai, banned the visit, declared the region a closed military zone and set up road blocks on the approaches to Tukua, south of Bethlehem.

'Arafat will say yes'

### Egypt to name PLO team

CAIRO, Sept 24, (Reuter): Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak will take to Washington next week the names of Palestinians who could talk peace with Israel, the Washington Post reported today.
In an interview with the newspaper's Cairo-based correspondent, Mubarak also said he was confident PLO chairman Yasser Arafat would accept Egypt's 10-point proposals for elections in the Israeli-ruled West Bank and Gaza.
"He will accept them. He has the flexibility," Mubarak said in response to concerns that Arafat has so far not publicly endorsed the Egyptians ideas. Asked if he would tell US President George Bush and Israeli leaders of Arafat's commitment. Mubarak was quoted as saying: "I can say so."

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Mubarak told the Washington Post the names of Palestinians he was taking to Washington were acceptable to Arafat as negotiators but would not be identified as affiliated with the PLO. During his visits to New York and Washington, starting next Thursday, the 61-year-old Egyptian leader will meet President Bush as well as Israeli Foreign

Minister Moshe Arens and Labour leader Shimon Peres. "Let the Israelis, as a state, as a government, say they accept these points in principle, while there may be some points they don't accept," he was reported as

saying.

"Let these points be discussed in the dialogue—all of them sit at the table and put their cards down and understand each other as a preparation for the

Mubarak added: "it's not a negotiating table. It's a dialogue. There is a great

Underground leaders of the Palestinian uprising today criticised Egyptian proposals for peace talks with Israel but stopped short of rejecting the initiative

### MIDEAST BRIEFS



### **Qichen in Tunis**

Chinese Foreign Minister Qian Othern arrived in Tunis for three days of talks with Palestinian and Tunisian officials.

He said on arrival that in the light of recent "positive changes in the Middle East scene" he was keen to exchange views with representatives of the Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO), the Arab League, and the Tunisian government.

Both the PLO and the Arab League are based in the Tunisian capital. On the bilateral level. China has an agreement to buy 250,000 tonnes of phosphoric acid a year from Tunisia from 1990.

Picture shows Oichen (right) shaking hands with his Tunisian counterpart Abdelhamid Al Sheikh. (Reuter wirephoto)

Bilateral talks: The Indian External Undersecretary C.K. Singh last night met with his Iranian counterpart Ali Mohammad Besharati during talks that tackled bilateral relations, the Afghan dispute, and the UN resolution 598 to settle the Iraqi-Iranian conflict, Radio Tehran reported.

The radio quoted Singh who arrived here last night on a three-day visit, as saying that the Indian External Affairs Minister P.V. Narasimha Rao will pay a visit to Tehran next month to hold talks with Iranian officials on bilateral relations and forming a joint committee. Iranian Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati paid a visit to India last August

Singh's current visit and Velayati's recent visit are considered as a sign for the Indo-Iranian relations which had been cold during the last decade, according to Indian sources. (Kuna) Hassan to improve ties: A bridge to link Europe and Africa and a

mutual wish to set stormy relations on a steadier course will be at the centre of King Hassan of Morocco's first state visit to Spain starting tomorrow. Mistrust has for years disrupted relations between the two countries which face each other across the entrance to the Mediterranean.

"We must reactivate our relations...put in place everything needed for our future which is common," King Hassan told Spanish television.

His pet project is to build a bridge or a tunnel to connect Europe and Africa across the 15 km-wide (nine mile) Straits of Gibraltar. (Reuter)

Egypt supports PLO: Egyptian Ambassador to Israel Mohammed Bassiouny said today the PLO—rejected by Israel as a negotiating partner—must take part in any accord leading to peace talks.

Bassiouny met live Israeli peace activists who voiced support for an Egyptian proposal for talks between Israeli and Palestinian delegations in Cairo over elections in the occupied territories.

"Egypt will not agree to anything the PLO (Palestine Liberation Organisa-

tion) will refuse," the diplomat told reporters. "We always co-operate and co-

ordinate with the PLO.

Israel proposed Palestininan elections in response to the revolt against its occupation and to circumvent the PLO, banned in Israel as a terrorist group. The plan could lead to Arah self-rule in the territories. (Reuter)

Denktash in Istanbul: Turkish-Cypriot leader Rauf Denktash arrived in Istanbul on Sunday on his way to Libya to address a conference on Islamic unity, the semi-official Anatolian news agency said.

Denktash, seeking support for his breakaway state recognised only by Ankara, will visit Austria, Switzerland and West Germany after the conference

Anatolian, which gave no details of the conference, said Denktash would

meet US Secretary-General Javier Parez de Cuellar in New York on October 11. Denktash, who has spurned UN ideas on ways to reunify Cyprus, said on Thursday he had requested the meeting.

Iran appoints: It was announced in Tehran on Saturday that President Ali Khamener has appointed Brigadier Ali Shahbazi as chief of state of Iranian

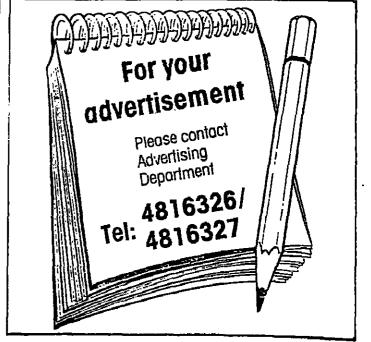
Radio Tehran, in a broadcast picked by Kuna, also said Khamenei issued another decision appointing Mohammed Bager Thu Al Qadar as chief of staff of the Iranian Revolutionary Forces. (Kuna)

### Velayati meets radicals

NICOSIA, Sept 24. (Reuter): Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati held talks on Friday night with leaders of Hezbollah and radical Palestinian groups, the Iranian news agency Irna said

It said the meeting, attended by Ahmed Jibril of the People's Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP) and Abu Musa of Fatah uprising focussed on Lebanon and the conflict with Israel. "We will never neglect issues of Palestine and Lebanon and

this will be part of our foreign policy," Velayati told his visitors.
"The dignity of Muslims in Lebanon and Palestine will depend on the jihad (holy war) and continuation of the struggle," he said.



### corruption" and said they will remain imprisoned indefinitely. Afghan rebel victory chances growing colder by the day; rivals on the defensive

KABUL, Sept 24, (Agencies): The first snows of autumn are cloaking the mounism military stalemate as the country lurtains around Kabul and diplomats say the chances of a decisive rebel victory in

the Afghan war are growing colder by the A political solution involving the country's former king is being aired as the summer fighting season draws to a close with the rebels unleashing a string of rocket artacks on the capital from their

mountain strongholds. Both the mujahedeen and the Sovietbacked government of President

ches into another winter after 11 years of civil war

The rebels are fighting among them-selves and the government is still holding on, defying predictions that it would collapse like a pack of cards after Moscow withdrew the last of its troops in February.

The United States, the main armourer of the rebels, has made contact with Afghanistan's exiled former king, Zahir Shah, who would be a neutral alternative to the mujahedeen and the Marxists. Pakistan, where the mujahedeen have based an interim government, has also been making noises lately about a political solution to the war that has killed 1.3 million people and turned five

million Afghans into refugees. But Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto. said last week it would be premature to talk of the king's return.

Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze and US Secretary of State James Baker agreed in talks in Wyoming that the two countries should hold further meetings on Afghanistan.
The idea of a neutral, interim govern-

ment that is not the KGB-trained cadre in Kabul or the CIA-sponsored mujahedeen is appealing to many Afghans inside and outside the country," one

military analyst in Kabul said. The Washington Post newspaper quoted 74-year-old Zahir Shah, overthrown in 1973 after a 40-year reign, as saying he was prepared to return to lead

an interim government. "There is a certain amount of nostalgia around for the king," said a senior Asian

diplomat. "He represents the good old days when there were no Soviets, no civil war, no rockets falling on the cities. But the hard reality of switching loyalties is another story. You're not going to see an instant conversion to the idea of a mon-

US Secretary of State James Baker said yesterday that he and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze had found common ground in discussions on Afghanistan and would hold further

## Amir begins three-day official visit to France today.

PARIS, Sept 24, (Kuna): HH the Amir of Kuwait Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmed Al Jaber tomorrow starts an official three-day visit to France, where he will be greeted at Orly Airport by President François Mitterrand.

HH the Amir and President Mitterrand will then head for the Elysee Palace for talks on pan-Arab issues. topped by Lebanon and Palestine.

Later on in the day, Mitterrand hosts a dinner banquet in honour of HH the Amur

On Tuesday, HH the Amir will attend a dinner reception held in his honour by head of the Paris Municipality Jacques Chirac at the Foreign Ministry.

In the afternoon, HH the Amir will

Defence Jean-Pierre Chevennement and of Research and Technology Hubert Curien.

In the evening, HH the Amir hosts a reception at the home of Kuwait's Ambassador to France Dr Tareq Rozouqi. The Amir is due to conclude his state visit on Wednesday.

Last Friday, official French sources praised Kuwaiti diplomacy for its

efforts on all fronts, especially regard-ing the Iraq-Iran war and the debts

Two agreements to be signed

Kuwait also played a leading role on the Lebanese front as it chaired the sixman Arab committee and is the current chairman of the Organisation of Islamic Conference (OIC).

Kuwait, the first Gulf investor in France, directed eight per cent, nearly

\$60 million, of its total foreign investments to France in 1988.

France is seventh among world exporters to Kuwait, while Kuwait managed 15th place in this category to

In 1988, Kuwaiti oil exports to France reached 46 million tons, or 0.1 per cent of France's oil imports. France imported 632 million tons, of Kuwaiti oil by products last year, or 2.4 per cent.

Total French exports to Kuwait were estimated last year at \$165 million in 1988, while France imported Kuwaiti products valued at nearly \$225 million for the same period.

Both countries' officials are keen to exchange visits regularly. President Mitterrand visited Kuwait in September of 1986, while Foreign Minister Roland Dumas stopped there last February Earlier this month Interior Minister Pierre Joxe paid a visit to Kuwait, during which he signed two security agreements.

HH the Amir visited France a year ago and met with the French President, while the Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed was in Paris last January.

## NCMC plans to unify job titles

### Computer agencies bemoan monopoly

Microfilm Centre at the Ministry of Planning Sulaiman Al Zayed has said that there is a plan to unify all service titles in the government sector to be at one with the payrolls and personnel increments decisions.

He told a local daily that the NCMC has prepared a full study on this topic involving 33 jobtitles on six different levels. As a result employees will have a fair chance to systematically be promoted up to the position of

Unification of job titles allow computer personnel the chance to prove themselves, excel in their field and work for promotion with high morale.

The study of this system took en entire year during which data was collected on all employees, their numbers and the reasons for their leaving the government sector. The process involved the invitation of a public questionnaire aiming to define the channels through which employees were made to uplift their productivity. The conclusion is that there was an urgent demand for

Currently there are 2,375 computer operators in the government centre constituting three per cent of the total government labour. The still-inadequate number of computer operators in the world make them very much in demand and consequently costly to hire.

The new system also aims to retain efficient computer operators by offering them the chance to excel and improve their promotional chances, offering professional and financial incentives. However, all these incentives are not fully capable of counteracting the lure of the private sector.

Kuwaiti graduates are difficult to lure into the government sector. However, quite a number

appreciated the experience they could accumulate by working at the NCMC on various government projects as this is not availa-

ble in the private sector. The official commented that the use of computers would not help reduce the need for expatriate labour but could limit their need to essentialities. Generally speaking, computers reduced the normal need for employees, though, heightened competitiveness among the existing employees whereby only the efficient and highly-skilled could

secure jobs in the field. Computers could help reduce functional inflation in the government sector through automation of all possible functions, which would entail reconsideration of the existing labour planning policy, as the majority of public money was paid to cover the cost of labour.

Consequently computers could play a positive role in the rationalisation of public spending and stepping up quality work performance in a cost-effective manner, serving the administrative development process. Systems

Currently, there are 42 computer-operated systems in the government, such as the staff payroll computer systems, traffic ights, passports, telephone bills, Civil ID-cards, social security systems and others still being developed. Meanwhile, five local com-

puter companies have submitted memorandum to the Minister of Planning emphasising the role played by the NCMC in providing all government agencies with their needs of computer systems. The memo said that the social computer companies the

shut before the influx of new technologies in the field. The memo signatories said that the NCMC's computer

A private cleaning company was assigned to carry out cleaning in Rabiya area. During the first month of the

contract, the company provided the area with huge containers for collecting the rubbish. But after that, the

containers were surprisingly withdrawn and instead small drums were allocated. This resulted in the

chance to participate in its line of

services, and had kept the door

know-how is confined to a limited group of computer systems which it used since the 1960s. Further, it lacked knowledge on new developments in the field which resulted in high evaluation of proposals and quotes made by computer companies to other government

They added that the NCMC did not confine its line of practice to the authorised consultancy role, through which it sup-posedly provided technical and professional counsel to various government agencies. It has always tried to tie the interests of other government agencies to its central system, which resulted in the imposition of certain computer hardware on all government agencies.

This was evidenced by the lately awarded tenders which involved the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, and the General Customs Department, and that the vast majority of the training courses organised by the NCMC depended exclusively on the hardware provided by a certain company which made computer specialists operating in the government sector monopolise the product of this company and consequently accord all their computer-related tenders to this company for all government

The memo also said that the NCMC followed no international standards and specifications as approved for computers, and consequently the specifications and standards followed by this company were the scale against which all computer products were assessed.

The committee recently forpolicies on computers had on its membership two representatives of this company which had in stock all the computer hardware that were, as a result for this state of affairs, very much high in

### 10 cases of 'W135' meningitis discovered

try of Health revealed yesterday that the ministry discovered 10 cases of very dangerous type of eningitis. The sources which said that the type is known as 'W135' affirmed that this is the first time this type of meningitis is found in the whole region. The sources further added that 3 of the 10 patients have already died at the Infectious Diseases Hospital and that the condition of the other 7 cases is very serious. They added that only little hope exists for their survival. The sources said that so far Kawait has discovered 27 cases of meningitis this year, majority of them are of the three normal types known as A, B and C which are common in the region. But the sources said that the fourth type, W135, has not been discovered in the whole region for

Vaccination campaign The sources added that Kuwait has launched a comprehensive vaccination campaign against the first three types of meningitis since 1987. But the vaccinations did not include the fourth type. Children over 2 years old were asked to take the meningitis vaccinations at the various medical clinics after an outbreak of the disease two years ago which came soon after the return of pilgrims. The disease had spread to all comtries of the region including Kuwait. The sources added that Jordan was the only country in the region to innoculate its citizens against the dangerous fourth type

of meningitis.
Sources added, however that
the Health Ministry does not
intend to launch another vaccination plan to include the fourth type because the situation is not dangerous and has not reached the epidemic stage, But the ministry is taking strict precautions to contain the disease, the sources affir-

Meningitis is a dangerous disbacteria and virus and these microbes attack the membranes covering the brain. They cause high fever and may be fatal particularly in young children and old people. Congestion, lack of proper ventilation, bad housing facilities and other factors are the main reasons that cause the disease. Besides the disease is infectious.

### Amaeeri troupe performs at Pompidou yard

PARIS, Sept 24, (Kuna): The famous George Pompidou courtyard in Paris turned into a Kuwaiti festival yesterday even-ing when the Kuwait Television group and Al Amaeeri troupe made a performance of Kuwaiti songs and dances.

The square was soon crowded when French and other foreign passersby stood to watch the Kuwaiti folkloric songs and dan-

ces.

Kuwait TV group and troupe,
who were wearing Kuwaiti traditional costumes, entered the Pompidou Square by hoisting Kuwait's flag and singing Kuwaiti traditional songs.

The audience started clapping and dancing to the Kuwaiti songs and the Pompidou courtyard was packed, with the colourful show attracting more atten-

dants. Echoes of Kuwaiti songs rocked the area with pleasure and it brought to mind the performance held in Kuwait on the country's National Day, but the only difference is that the French people joined the festival this

At the time of Kuwaiti troupe's performance, French and foreign money-earners who perform for people present in the Pompidou courtyard failed to capture the interest of the people, who were much more interested in the Kuwaiti show.

The Kuwaiti performance lasted for more than one hour and when they started to leave the courtyard still singing people followed them until the end.

The performance of the Kuwaiti group, along with the Kuwaiti Cultural Week, was a very good opportunity to introduce Kuwait to the French

## Legal Clinic

ADVICE FROM OUR KUWAITI LAWYER KHALID TAHER

IF you have a legal problem, labour or any other kind. Send your questions to Arab Times, Legal Clinic. Our Kuwaiti lawyer Khaled Taher replies to readers queries. Write to Legal Clinic, Arab Times, P.O. Box 2270, 13023 Safat, Kuwait or fax your questions on Fax No.

What could be my problem in the future I AM working as a domestic belper in if it is true that I am not permitted to come Kowait since Jan. 1988. I wanted to marry back by that authority. Please advise me my employer's brother (who loves me). I am a mother of three children. My Husband sent me a letter last year

while he was involved with a girl while he was drunk. So her parents decided that he should marry their daughter. I did not refuse and my husband is willing to take my three children to live with his new wife. I want to change my surname in the passport. Can you tell me how to do that in Kuwait to solve this problem, is it through my embassy in Kuwait? FIRST, changing your surname in your passport is the concern of your embassy

and not any authority in Knwait. It is advisable to contact your embassy here, and they will give you the definite ans-

I AM working in Kuwait for the past ten years as an AC mechanic. At present there are less jobs in the company, so the company started harassing me to leave the job and go home. In case I leave the job for another company, what is the period limit to change the residence to another company, and to get my dues from my present

YOU have been working here for more than ten years on visa No. 18, so you can change from one company to another without a problem. According to the new regulations of the Labour Law you are allowed to change to another sponsor after completing three years of employment. However you have been working for more than that period with your sponsor. About the limit period for changing from one sponsor to another is a maximum one month. Your dues should be fully paid during that period before joining the second company. But if your first employer refuses to pay all your dues and to give you a release, then you can file a case at the Ministry of Social Affairs and Labour.

I HAVE been working in Kuwait on visa sponsors. Six months back I transferred my residence to another sponsor. However I want to change the job again. Is it possible for me to change my visa to another sponsor after six months only? Please explain.

Anthony Furture

THE new regulations of the Labour Law has not mentioned the minimum period of changing from one sponsor to another. You have been working for a period of 10 years on visa No. 18, which means there is no legal problem to transfer from one sponsor to another.

I AM concerned about my visa problem, because of my pending case. Before it was written that I am prohibited to go outside Knwait, but two weeks ago my sponsor asked me to check in the court. I found that the ban was lifted and I can leave the country any time. By then I asked my sponsor not to renew my visa and to give me a release to work for another spo and he agreed. I asked him who will pay the fine because I have an expired visa so the company checked about this matter with the concerned authority, they were told that I can return to my country but I cannot work with another employer. I am con-fused why I am permitted to go outside the country and then not come back even if I can get a no-objection certificate (NOC).

I want to know is it really true what I was

told by the authority that if I leave Kuwait I will not be permitted to come back even if

Is it also true that I will not be permitted to come back even with an NOC, and if I leave to my country no one can make my residence permit even if I have an NOC? The reason why I want to look for another job, is that they do not want to have any plan of renewing my visa. They just want me to stay without visa even if they could do it. I am not holding a Civil ID and Pm afraid to be caught by the police for this. I am already accepted in a company and waiting for my NOC.

because if I am not permitted to come back then I will not secure the NOC. What could serve as a legal paper in order to avoid trouble outside if I encounter check-

YOU ARE talking about your residence which expired. You do not have a Civil ID. Then you did not mention the reason of banning you from travel and then ordering you to leave Kuwait and not to come back. First check if there is a stamp on the passport which bans you from coming back to Kuwait. If you are banned from entering the country again, you need a pardon from the concerned authorities. However you should be more clear about explaining your case, provided with evidence that verifies your situation.

I WANT to know how the leave salary is calculated. Is it calculated on the last

drawn salary?

From the beginning of my employment I have been drawing transport allowance every month. Hence while calculating my indemnity am I eligible to add this all-owance to my basic salary?

ACCORDING to the law, you can get outstanding dues i.e. salary owed to you, leave salary plus 15 days of each year for the first five years and one month's wages for each year for the sixth year onward. If you are being fired, you'll get the above settlement. If you resign before completing five years, then you are not entitled to

I WOULD like to inquire on my position with regard to the following situation: Four days before Eld Al Fitr we asked a aluminium company to give us as aute of assembling one door, a window and partition. The estimated cost by the y was KD230, afterv decided verbally on KD200.

The first week after Eld Al Fitr the company installed the window (not the requested colour glass, we requested after destroying the original window it would have meant being left with a hole in the wall until they returned) as well as fitting the door. The company decided they placed the door in the wrong place so they removed (breaking plaster off the wall) and moved it 15 cm in snother direction.

The company then said they would come back to assemble the partition but I never heard from them again. We continued calling them through May, early June them we proceeded on holiday and returned in early July we again called but no reply.

Finally three weeks ago the company called us asking about the money. So we asked them first to finish the job then we would pay. After that two men came but did not know what we wanted and left. We arranged they would come back at 10 am Sept 14 and since then we were unable to contact them.

What I would like to know is whether I

have the right to bring in another alumin-ium company to finish the job and refuse to pay the first company for the interven-ience caused over the past 4 months?

Salmia Hassa FIRST you have to send a written notice through the court to that company which should mention that due to the delay of fixing the doors, window and partition, you are informing them that you are bringing another company to do the work after giving them a notice period of one week to finish the work. However if they did not come to finish the work during that notice period they have to pay the expenses which will be deducted

from the first company.

This notice should be determined for one week before you can bring another company. This notice should be submitted through a lawyer. However you can wait after giving that notice and if you receive no reply, you can bring another company to do the job.

I CAME to Kowait in 1976 on visa No. 18 and have worked with a private company for 12 years. At present I am working in a semi-government firm and my reside has been transferred over there.

nas been transserved over there.

Recently I got a better offer in another semi-government firm. Will it be possible for me to transfer my residence, if I decide to join the second firm only after two months after joining the first one?

YOU HAVE been working with that firm for only two months and you want to change for another firm. This kind of transfer should be settled between the two firms in order for you to join the second firm. If you achieve that transfer, you can join the other company or else you have to wait for a period of time that entitles you for such a transfer and then you go on with the procedure.

I CAME to Kuwait on a contract with one company and worked as a mechanic for five years. During the five years of service, the company never gave men payraise, so I decided to leave. I approached the manager for a release which he flatly refused and also refused to give me my service certificate. Now I am back with a new visa, but I wish to have my experience car-tificate from my previous camployer. What tificate from my previous er can I do, please advise.

N.J. Norozba

ACCORDING to Article 60 of Labour Law which states the following: A labourer should be granted a service termination certificate showing the data of service of his profession and years of ... any end of service benefits, but you can service and last wage he received. Any set the leave salary evid solon wall and library paper, or certificate or tools owance is not calculated with the basic. If deposited with the employer should be salary. employer does not give you that certificate, then you can file a case against him at the Ministry of Social Affairs and

> THERE are about 18 workers filing a case against the company to get their salaries. The court issued a verdict against the company to pay the full dues which is about KD 1400. But the company has asked to pay on instalments. After the first instalent again the company stopped paying.
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> Do we have to go back to court and wait

> mother year for the court's decision?
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> What will happen when the court issues a vertice against the company to pay the staff who have more than KD15,000 pending? Do we get our money within the same days or after the court's decision? How my days the company has to pay us?

> YOU should provide me with more details regarding this case especially a photocopy of the court's verdict about it. Legal advice will be provided to you upon receipt of the court's decision.

> MY brother-in-law got a court sentence of two years which he has completed and is soon to be deported to his country. Will he be able to return to Kuwnit to join his ully of a wife who is a government ployee and his two children. His daughter who goes to school have valid visa of two years. Can my sister transfer her dangiter's residence under her sponsorship? If yes, what are the procedures? Also I would like to know if his daughter is liable to be deported along with her father?

> YOU did not mention about his wife's job whether in the government or the private sector. Details about the wife's salary was not provided.

P.G. Zachary

An official at the Immigration Department said that if the mother meets the requirements of sponsoring dependents. then the father should give a release letter to the mother attested by the Ministry of Justice that she looks after her children because the father was deported. Then she can submit it to the immigration authorities for transfer of her children's residence. His children are not liable to be deported because they did not break the rules of the country, but their father

### Islamic Council endorses a number of recommendations

KUWAIT. Sept 24, (Kuna): Minister of Awqaf and Islamic Affairs Khalid Ahmad Al Jassar today announced that the International Islamic Council for Call and Relief has endorsed a number of important recommendations on Islamic and Arab issues. Jassar who attended the council's latest meeting in Cairo, said that he conveyed the regards of HH the Amir to President Hosni Mubarak

when the Egyptian President received a number of the delegates who

participated in the meeting which ended Friday. He added that the council's resolutions included the Palestinian cause, the Palestinian uprising, the Bulgarian Muslims, Afghan issue and the prisoners of war in Iran and Iraq.

The conferees listened at the meeting to reports by the council's different committees on their accomplishments during the past year. Jassar went on saying that the aim of the International Islamic Council is to co-ordinate and co-operate among the Islamic world in Islamic affairs especially that the Muslims need that attention from the

The Minister of Awqaf concluded that the Egyptian President has asked him to convey his appreciation and thanks to HH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister Sheikh Saad Al Abdullah Al Sabah, and Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed Al

The council comprises of Egypt, Kuwait, Iraq, United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, Jordan, Qatar and a number of charity societies in the Islamic world.

### Afforestation process slow: Qabazard

By Abdullah Al Shemari

MANAGING Director of the Palms Company for Agricultural Production, Husain Ahmad Qabazard considered the afforestation process as going very slow due to lack of planning and some farmers agricultural unawareness.

On the occasion of reviving the Kuwait National Afforestation Plan and the beginning of the new season of this year, he indicated that most citizens are randomly planting fruit and land scape trees. Such operations unscientifically undertaken will only result in time, effort and

money being wasted.

The main causes behind this financial waste is due to lack of consulting specialsied authorities before going ahead with planting. He stated that there are many specialised authorities and advice resources which citizens could consult with.

However, the official said that we cannot blame this group of citizens due to the fact that they lack comprehensive agricultural culture. He expected that agricultural culture will spread in Kuwait in due time if information facilities were fully involved in awareness campaigns.

He praised the Ministry of Education's efforts in spreading awareness among the new generation at schools. He added that some co-operative societies follow the same method of random agriculture. He pointed out that Kuwait has 280,000 palm frees with a total date production estimated at 2000 tonnes annually. He stated that 28 per cent of the country's date requirements is covered by this amount adding that the total consumption of dates in Kuwait is estimated at 7,000 tonnes annually. A rise in the production of dates during the 'coming three years is anticipated, Qabazard said.



Family Cathedral)

A tribute of love from his

wife Phyllis and children

Ashok, Shanti/Kenny,

Peter, Derrick and

Sheryl.

Garbage galore

## Kuwait optimistic on peace in Lebanon Drug addicts on the

Cabinet reviews issues

KUWAIT. Sept 24, (Kuna): The cabinet today held a meeting under the chairman-ship of Acting Premier-Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed in which a spectrum of issues were reviewed:

Planning Minister, Acting Minister of State for Cabinet Affairs Dr Abdel Rahman Ai Awadi said in a statement following the meeting that the council of ministers reviewed the positive dimensions of the visit of His Highness the Amir Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmed to Iraq for talks with Iraqi President Saddam Hussein.

The visit fails within the context of dis-

tinguished fraternal ties linking the peoples of the two countries and within the continuous consultations over Arab issues, the statement said, lauding the Iraqi fraternal reception of HH the Amir.

The council took note of the visits to be paid by HH to France, Guinea, Mali and Niger accompanied with the Minister of State for Cabinet Affairs Rashid Al Rashid, Finance Minister Jassem Al Khorafi, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Saud Al Ossaimi and a number of

The cabinet, Dr Awadi added, reviewed the outcome of the visit to the country by the King of Nepal Birendra Bikram Shah Deva and means of developing bilateral relations and other issues of mutual con-

Sheikh Sabah, he added, acquainted the cabinet with the contents of talks here between Chad Foreign Minister Acheik Ibn Oumar and Kuwaiti officials during his recent visit to the country.

Dr Awadi said the council listened to a report by the Minister of Trade and Industry Faisal Abdel Razzak Al Khalid on the

visit to Kuwait by the Minister of Industr and Technology of Mauritius republic and topics discussed during the visit.

Minister of Awqaf and Islamic Affairs Khalid Al Jassar acquainted the cabinet of the results of the recent Cairo meetings of the world Islamic Council for Call and

Awadi noted that the council followed up with optimism the recently declared ceasefire in Lebanon and welcomed this contractive step aimed at ending the existing tragic situation in Lebanon.

### Exchanges to re-open in three months

Industry has notified the owners of money exchange companies lately ordered closed down by the ministry that it will lift its closure decision in three months time to enable the closed down businessmen to open dialogues with their clientele, reach friendly settlements and sort out violations against their authorised line of

An official source from the ministry said that the owners of these companies were notified of this step following the issue of a ministerial decision late last week through registered mail or direct contact. They were urged to undertake not to accept deposits, make remittances and money orders and stop all types of banking services falling out of their authorised services.

Sources close to the market believe that some of the closed down businesses were trying to take advantage of their clients due to their inability to refund their deposits and trying in the meantime to get them to accept half the amount of their deposits,

to which some clients agreed. Sources close to clients believe that the total number of clients is well over 2400 and that the value of outstanding amount is estimated at KD40 millions.

### Heart centre KUWAIT, Sept 24, (Kuna): Undersecretary of Health Na'el Al-Naqib disclosed that HH the Crown Prince and Prime Mini-ster Sheikh Saad Al-Abdallah

In a television interview,

the supervision. patients. Kuna obtained an advanced

cerning this point in which that the Psychiatric Hospital is required to supervise them leading also to administrative problems.

Dr Esam Al Ansari, a professor in psychiatric medicine said that the main problem here is in the type of drugs used for psychiatric patients. There is a continuous fear that such drugs may be misused.

Asfour admitted that addiction cases are on the increase in Kuwait and the rest of the world but added that it is not alarming in Kuwait. He said that one of the important services offered by the hospital is for addicts and that a committee has been set up at the hospital to study the addiction problem and provide solutions.

One of the committee recommendations is to divide the treatment of addicts into three stages. The first involves removing the poisons from the body for two to three weeks, followed by exten-

### Pakistani scholarship

THE embassy of Pakistan in Kuwait has invited applications from the children of Pakistan nationals in Kuwait for one scholarship for study at the Kuwait University, offered by the Kuwait Government.

and in the final stage the rehabilitation treatment. He said that the hospital provides various types of programmes to treat addiction, but stressed that this problem is not a one-sided affair. It involves many issues including social aspects and the co-ordinated efforts of the Ministries of Education, Interior. Planning and others. He said that a recently held seminar on addiction in Kuwait proposed the establishment of a national committee for countering addiction. which is different from the drug committee. He stressed on the importance of forming this committee which can greatly help in

solving addiction problems.

Standards

increase: psychiatrists

National anti-drugs committee proposed

A NUMBER of psychiatric specialists and consultants at the

Kuwait Psychiatric Hospital

denied yesterday that the Man-

akh crash is the primary reason

for the increase in the number of

psychiatric patients in Kuwait.

Although they admitted that the number of such patients

increased, they stressed that the

issue is "overly exaggerated."

One specialist revealed that the

number of people in Kuwait who

have files and visit the Psy-

chiatric Hospital and the other

15 psychiatric clinics, is more than 100,000. Another specialist

said that psychological disorders

in any society is between 10-20

per cent of the population and

in Kuwait we have almost the

same ratio."

Director of the Psychiatric

Hospital, Dr Abdul Rahman Al

Asfour, who along with the other

specialists hosted at a seminar

organised by an Arabic daily, admitted that drug addiction was on the increase in Kuwait, but he

added that this is the case the

world over. He said that the Psy-

chiatric Hospital receives over

40,000 cases every year.
Asfour complained of the lack
of public awareness towards
understanding of the psychological service in Kuwaii. He

said that there still exists a mis-

conception about this important

branch of medicine. The people

in Kuwait still think that this

branch of medicine has not been

upgraded or improved, while the fact is that it has been greatly

developed over the past 30 years.

Now, the hospital offers very

advanced services and uses com-

puters in dealing with psychiatric

patients. He announced that the

authorities are currently study-

ing the idea of forming a society for the friends of psychiatric

patients in order to bridge the

gap between the service and the

Expansion

to expand the psychiatric

services in Kuwaii and after

several studies it was found that

it is better to increase the number

of psychiatric clinics and so far 15

centres have been commissioned

outside the Psychiatric Hospital. The idea of opening special wards at hospitals to treat psy-chiatric patients has now been

postponed because the autho-

rities are concentrating at

present at expanding the outside

centres. Asked why the private

hospitals are not allowed to open

wards for psychiatric patients, Asfour said that in accordance

with the law such wards can

open, but the problem remains in

Many problems will arise con-

Authorities are also working

About the standard of the psychiatric service at the hospital, Asfour stressed that the main problem at present is the buildings of the hospital. These buildings were constructed in 1958 and since then no changes were introduced. He said that the Ministry of Health formed a committee that studied the issue of the hospital buildings and the committee agreed to modernise the various wards and buildings of the hospital at stages spread over 4 to 5 years. He added that a rehabilitation centre will be established in the empty lots besides the hospital to offer entertainment services to patients. A building for the addiction clinic and 29 other offices are under construction. A new building will be also established just near the present building and the construction will begin by the end of 1990 and will take 4 to 5 years to complete. He said that the hospital has 567 beds with 303 nurses. He said that in order to provide good service there should be one nurse for each bed. The ministry agreed to supply the hospital with 23

hospital with additional staff. He said that the budget of the psychiatric services in Kuwait is about KD5 million a year, which is just 1.5 per cent of the Ministry of Health's budget. This includes costs of the patients, salaries and drugs. He added that the hospital charges non-Kuwaiti patients who have no official residence in

more nurses. Moreover the hosp-

ital lacks enough administrative

staff though the ministry has also

expressed readiness to supply the

Asfour added that drugs used for psychiatric treatment are free of narcotic materials except for a very few. Also, drugs used for treatment of addiction have also been reduced for fear of any misuse. He said that the public has a misconception about the nature of drugs used for psychiatric patients that it affects the human nature and others, which is totally untrue. A field study recently carried out on some sections of Army recruits and found that 5 per cent of the those covered by the study had in their secretions some drugs that cause addiction. He emphasised that this does not mean that all of them were addicts, but some of them may have misused the drugs they were given as medication. He added that another survey study by a doctor in the Medical College on patients visiting the casualty section,

showed that 13 per cent had in

their secretions drugs that cause

expected to go on stream in 1993.

addiction. He also stressed that does not mean that all the 13 per cent were drug addicts because some of them might have misused some medications. But Asfour said that we can not bury our heads and say that there is no addiction problem in Kuwait. The problem exists but it is not alarming and speedy solutions must be adopted to face this dan-Dr Saleh Al Helow, a special-

ist, said on his part that the number of files for psychiatric patients in Kuwait is over 100,000. He said that the increase in the number of patients could mean an increase in the psychological problems in the coun-try or through increased awareness people now are freely go to psychiatrists. Dr Mohammad Aref said that 40,000 patients visited the hospital last year. Many others visited the other 15 clinics outside the hospital. But he denied rumours that the Manakh crash resulted in a big increase in the number of psychiatric patients and a special ward was opened for Manakh investors. Aref admitted that any society that is subjected to crises, either economic or social, will result in increasing the number of

psychiatric patients.
In a related development, Dr Mosa Al Hammouri, head of the Rehabilitation and Nerves Unit at Paediatrics Division at Sabah Hospital said that expertise extended to patients are underestimated.

In an interview with a local daily, the official was quoted as saying that the psychological care of the mother if not properly diagnosed and addressed could lead to adverse effects on the quality of milk. This milk intake by the child could lead to psychiatric problems inherited by the mother being passed on to the new offspring. He urged early treatment of the mother suffering from any type of nervous symptoms.

Commenting, the official said that till 1988, the unit had received about 11,844 cases, of which a total of 17 per cent represented treatment directly related to hereditary factors.

He advised parents to desist from trying to treat their children who suffer from any defects on their own accord as there is every possibility that the best intentions could backfire.

Speaking of speech impediment, Hammouri said that this could be attributed to several factors, such as, poor intelligence quotient, hereditary factors, audio problems, in addition to problems related to nervous tensions. The area is quite complex and its implications are so varied that such problems could be related to a "plethora" of reasons — both related to the mother, malformations of the embryo and an absence of a level of balance in the sentimentality process of stability amongst oth-

Elucidating, he said that about 80 per cent of children suffered from different disabilities that ranged from organic, mental, psychological and social problems - the latter requires special care from the attending physician in the form of undertaking extensive studies, prior to prescribing any medicament.

### **Amir** points to **Arab fate**

(Continued from Page 1) common desire to continue the

historical links between the two neighbouring Arab countries." The reception given by the Iraqis to their great guest reflected their appreciation for a brave Arab leader, who took a genime stand, together with his people, in defending the Arab nation,

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He was apparently referring to Kuwait's financial and moral support for Iraq in its eight-year war with Iran which ended with a UN-brokered ceasefire in

August last year.
The ceasefire stopped the fighting, but UN-sponsored peace talks between Iran and Iraq remain deadlocked.

### **NEWS IN** BRIEF

Special report

PARIS, Sept 24, (Kima): The French semi-official news agency, Agence France-Presse, today issued a special report on the visit of HH the Amir of Kuwait Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmad. Al Sabah, saying the situation in the Middle East conflict and bilateral co-operation issues will top the agenda of discussions.

The agency said HH, who is a very active leader on the world diplomatic scene, adoptic shinks policies! to this still Frencher (Ender On the world President Francois Winter and Bridge for the notations Egy on several sever on several issues of international

The AFP said the points of view of the two leaders are almost identical on the search for set tlements to the Gulf conflict, the Middle East problem, the Lebanese crisis and debt problem of the Third World.

The agency said Kuwait and France have reached advanced levels of co-operation on means of combatting terrorism and drug trafficking especially after an agreement was signed recently in Kuwait by interior ministers of the two countries.

It added that two economic agreements on the prevention of double taxation and protection of investments will be signed dur-

### ing the visit of HH. Ortega message

KUWAIT, Sept 24, (Kuna): His Highness Deputy Amir and Crown Prince Sheikh Saad Al Abdullah Al Sabah today received a message from Nicaraguan President Daniel

The message was delivered by Nicaraguan President special envoy, George Hallaq. Saad receives

KUWAIT, Sept 24, (Kuna): HH the Deputy Amir and Crown Prince Sheikh Saad Al Abdullah Al Salem Al Sabah received at his diwan at the Bayan Palace this morning Sheikh Jaber Al Ali.

HH later received advisors at HH the Amir's office Abdul Rahman Salem Al Ateeqi and Abdul Latif Faisal Al Thuwaini Ahmadi Governor Sheikh Ali Sabah Al Salem, chairman of the Public Authority for Agriculture Affairs and Fish Resources Sheikh Ibrahim Al Duaij and US Ambassador to Kuwait Wilson

### Nathaniel Howell. Board dissolved

KUWAIT, Sept 24, (Kuna): Minister of Social Affairs and Labour Sheikh Nasser Mohammed Al Ahmed Al Sabah today issued a ministerial decision dissolving the board of directors of the Social Culture Society, and appointing a new board for a

one-year term. Dr Saleh Ali Hassan has been appointed as chairman of the society's board of directors, while Ghalib Ahmed Al Taha, Bader Ramadhan Khalifeh, and Bader Mohammed Al Sayegh have been appointed as boardmembers.

The decision banned drawing any funds from the society's fund or from the banks in which the society's funds are deposited unless the new board chairman and treasurer put their sig-

## **Convict sentenced to** 322 years RI pardoned

teacher who was sentenced by

Kuwait's courts to 322 years of rigorous imprisonment. individual counts and sentenced The defendant identified as him to the longest jail-term ever teach maths in a local school Kuwaiti justice. prior to his being detained on A statement issued by the

public relations department at Sept 23, 1979 on numerous charges of issuing dud cheques. The court was told that the accused raked in a fortune by diping innocent Egyptians into believing that he would transfer

The court convicted him on 83

the Ministry of Interior said that tion formalities. the accused was released after spending half of the legal period in jail and in accordance with an Amiri amnesty dated April 26,

according to article No. 22 of Law of Judicial Procedures the maximum period of imprisonment should not exceed 20 years. The defendant was released after spending half of the period. The convict has been referred to the Criminal Investigation Depart-ment for completion of deporta-

Well informed sources said that the accused's wife possess in her name large tracts of land and real estate.

has decided to build a specialised medical centre for heart diseases at his own expenses.

Naqib said the centre will be constructed near the Chest Diseases Hospital in Sulaibikhat and will be supplied with specialised medical team to treat heart

copy of the interview which will be broadcast tomorrow.

### Plan to diversify national income sources

### External industries to be established

THE Undersecretary of the Ministry of Planning Dr Abdul Hadi Al Awadi has said that the new development is based on the building of the productive Kuwaiti individual in order to be able to achieve the desired upturn in compliance with directives from

The existing plan received top-level support from the political leadership in the country, out of its conviction in the sound planning approach that could guarantee the ability to keep pace with the age progress and meet the challenges of today. To lay down the basis for a

sound planning concept, strict practical steps have been taken including the organisation of training courses in varying levels of planning, beginning with the level of undersecretaries. The courses also contained

planning programmes introduced as curricular subjects into the general educational programmes, and the university qualification leading to diploma degrees and higher studies in the field of planning in co-ordination with the Ministry of Higher Education, Awadi said.

He said that under the new plan, certain existing government concerns would be converted into private sector businesses. The main underlying idea being that of attempting to diversify the sources of national income, is a demanding task that would only be achieved over three or more five-year develop-

ment plans. He pointed out that all fiveyear plans would basically emphasise the importance of building the productive Kuwaiti individual and that for this purpose long-term national strategy would be developed for the economic and social development on the basis of which medium-term and annual plans with interim objectives and special implementation policies marked with flexibility to cope with potential

changes and modifications to cater for urgent needs.

The ultimate goal is to redress the population balance, achieved social homogeneity, follow a well-established planning approach, build the right educationally, individual religiously and deep ties between the individual and community to emphasise social and communal interaction and values, step up national manpower resources and increase the percentage of K irwaitis in the labour force.

He said that various government ministries and agencies had been invited each in line with their field of operation to contribute and that result was the collection of data on the evaluation of the current state of affairs which would help the formulation of long-term policies whereby all five-year plans would be made to fulfill and cater to urgent national requirements.

He attributed the deficiency in national manpower resource to a lack of sound planning approach stressing that any planning activity must be enriched with national planning specialists.

For this purpose special committees had been formed by different government agencies to study the data provided by their agency to use it as the starting point for applying the desired sound planning approach and develop the needed national planning specialists.

He said that intensive training programmes had been developed in co-ordination with Kuwait University and the Arab Institute for Planning catering to all levels starting with undersecretaries, and that these courses would be for three months each during which participants would be initiated into policymaking and developing the right planning approach in the light of forecasted requirements.

He added that some courses were held annually by experts from the Ministry, Kuwait

University and Arab Institute for Planning, whereby participants were trained in how to develop planning schemes and enrich their planning expertise to meet the national requirements and cater to the efforts exerted to cultivate planning abilities among the national cadres.

He stressed the importance of contributions by the private sector to shoulder its national responsibility and help qualify Kuwaitis to play a positive role in the development process, through training and acquisition of needed field expertise and via close co-ordination between the public and private sectors.

He pointed out that current government efforts were based on the need to develop special policies seeking to integrate the roles of the public and private sector in the process of qualifying the right Kuwaiti cadre within the framework of a sound planning approach, which could mean a regional co-ordination of effort to whom profitability at the short run was the last goal. Projects

Certain industries and investment in agricultural projects would for this purpose be established in Arab or Gulf states whereby national intersts would be employed duly protecting the welfare of all involved. This would require external investment activities and enterprises to reinforce the current status of national industries, particularly strategic industries and enable the fulfillment of the national security, in the field of medicine and food alike.

He added that the third objective would mean efforts to redress the balance of population, i.e. gradual reduction of imported manpower. This is intended to be achieved, through mobilisation of all potentials needed to transfer of manpowerdemanding industries to the country of imported labour, in order to be able to collect the returns of our investments, serve our national interests and avoid burdening our service budget by hosting large population of labour force, who would be working for us, but in their own countries.

He pointed out that part of our efforts to diversify the sources of national income was the conclusion of bilateral agreements with certain countries whereby we would be able to enhance our foreign investment base in various agricultural, phar-maceutical or high-tech industries, a task that would have to be accomplished over three or four five-year plans.

### Support

He said that top political sup-port was rendered to the implementation of this policy by HH the Amir out of his personal commitment to ensuring the best of service to national interest and welfare. Therefore great attention is being accorded to this policy through the successive meetings of the Council of Ministers and members of the Higher Planning Council whereby executive steps for the current development plan were being closely followed up and projections were being considered for the upcoming plans and ways to ensure success in achieving the desired national objectives.

roads very well.

## sive rehabilitation programmes

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### Iraq to propose new ideas on water project

A HIGH-LEVEL Iraqi delegation will reportedly visit Kuwait in October within the framework of Kuwaiti-Iraqi follow-up talks on the import of Iraqi fresh water to Kuwait. The minister of local government in Iraq will head his country's

delegation to the talks with Kuwait's Minister of Electricity and Water Dr Homoud Abdullah Al Roobah, well informed Iraqi sources told The sources added that new proposals would be considered regarding water supplies for domestic uses, and that Iraq would request

Kuwait's participation in the import of fresh water supplies from the Ghraf river near Naseriyeh — a project that would provide Basra and Kuwait with water, under one project for both countries. Kuwait has reportedly agreed in principle to the Iraqi plan, and that the water supply for domestic uses would be increased in volume from 350 to 500 million gallons per day, and the total water supply share to

Kuwait from the Ghraf river is estimated at 16 per cent. Sources said that a number of relaying pumps would be set up along this project, which would be powered from the Iraqi power network and consume 57 megawatts. The cost would be borne by Kuwait until the proposed electrical connection between the two countries are

The physicians and technicians at the X-ray Department of Al Sabah

extend condolences to their colleague

Wojciech Szmigielfki and his bereaved family on the demise of his

father

May His Soul Rest in Peace



**Art Buchwald** 

Puzzling

### Thought for today

WHAT the government gives you, the government can take away, and once it starts taking away, it can take more than it gave - Samuel Gompers, US labour leader

## Pol Pot could emerge again

### **Ruthless dictator**

POL POT, a tyrant in the eyes of much of the world, could emerge from

the Cambidian shadows to rule again. "Pol Pot could be back in power in five years," a Western diplomat

said as Vietnamese forces withdrew and left ill-trained Cambodian government troops to fight the Khmer Rouge alone.

Diplomats regard the reclusive Cambodian arch-nationalist, whose 1975-1979 Khmer Rouge revolution wiped out a fifth of the population, as the shrewdest Cambodian leader alive.

'He has no match as a competent user of principles of Mao Tse-Tung

and (Vietnamese general) Vo Nguyen Giap for protracted of 186-1 und and (Vietnamese general) Vo Nguyen Giap for protracted political and military war. He's in no hurry," a Bangkok-based diplomat said.

"The story is the destruction of a nation by Vietnamese imperial expansion from the east and the Thais squeezing from the other side. The Khmer Rouge embody Cambodian nationalism and they're not interested in human rights," the envoy said.

Neither the Hanoi-installed Cambodian government nor two non-

communist guerrilla groups allied with the Khmer Rouge rival Pol Pot's organisation for discipline and ruthlessness in the cause of preserving Cambodia from foreign encroachment.

Analysts of Cambodian affairs dismiss US-backed forces of Prince Norodom Sihanouk and Son Sann as too weak to give Cambodia a non-communist alternative to pro-Hanoi leaders or the Khmer Rouge. Sihanouk, who was imprisoned by the Khmer Rouge in Phnom Penh after being a figurehead leader of their guerrilla drive to power from 1970 to 1975, is again allied with them.

Sihanouk has no choice if he wants Vietnam out. He has no army or

political base," a diplomat said. Vietnam has pledged not to re-intervene after this week's withdrawa of the last elements of the invasion force that overthrew the Khmer

In such a vacuum the Khmer Rouge would be pitted against a shaky Cambodian Army, which has seen little real action while Vietnam did the lion's share of bottling up the Khmer Rouge along the border over

But Phnom Penh, racing time to cobble a dependable army, admits thousands of Khmer Rouge have infiltrated deep into the country.

### Corruption

Diplomats detect in Phnom Penh the corruption, poor leadership and unwillingness to sacrifice that doomed the governments of Lon No

In Bangkok, Prasong Soonsiri, a former Thai national security chief, said the Khmer Rouge strategy could be one of patient political work, avoiding pitched battles "and waiting for a ripe fruit to fall." How much chance does Pol Pot have?

"Who knows? He's still an enigma. There was confusion in the 1960s and 70s by everyone about his role. Everyone including Vietnam and China, got it wrong on Pol Pot," a diplomat said.

The Khmer Rouge says it has renounced communism and retired Pol Pot and other notorious figures. However, its central leadership core has remained intact since the 1960s, foiling Vietnam's attempt to root

Pol Pot is the nom deguerre of Saloth Sar who has said he was born to a peasant family in Kampong Cham province in 1925. He is also called

Almost a complete mystery when he took over as premier of Cambodia in April, 1975, Pol Pot said that in a classless society leaders need not be in a spotlight. In power the Khmer Rouge gave orders in the name of "Angkar Leou," the organisation.

In haste to achieve pure communism the Khmer Rouge emptied towns, abolished money, schools and Buddhism and burned books in an agrarian revolution. Even suspected opponents were accused of being spies of Hanoi, Moscow or the West and were executed.

Cambodians generally fear any Khmer Rouge return to power. Analysts said the radical movement might not be a monster a second time around. Sihanouk has said he thinks they could be controlled and

must be included in an interim government.

"It's a self-critical group who've had 10 years to identify mistakes and probably don't want to repeat them," said an envoy.

But others shirk from suggesting Cambodia give them a second chance and see logic in Phnom Penh's call for Sihanouk to rally to its

side and fight Pol Pot to the death. 'Cambodians should try to wipe the Khmer Rouge out now while

they've got a chance," said a delegate to abortive peace talks in Paris last month. (Bangkok — Reuter)

### TODAY IN HISTORY

1523 - Duke of Albany lands at Dumbarton from France and begins rallying Scots against England. 1555 — Peace of Augsburg in Germany, whereby Lutheran

religion makes significant gains and Lutheran states enjoy equal rights with Catholic states.

1604 — Spanish forces under Ambrogio de Spinola capture

Ostend from Dutch after more than three-year siege.

1663 — Neuhausel, Hungary, surrenders to Turks who then threaten to invade Germany.

1688 — France's King Louis XIV invades Palatinate, uniting

German princes against him. 1894 — British annex Pondoland, connecting Cape Colony and

1908 — Casablanca incident, in which German deserters from French Foreign Legion are taken by force from German consular official. 1940 — Collaborationst Quisling government is established in

Norway in World War II. 1959 — Premier S. Bandaranaike of Ceylon is assussinated and

is succeeded by W. Dahanayake.

1963 — Military leaders in Dominican Republic overthrow seven-month-old government of President Juan D. Bosch. 1966 - Two typhoons hit Japan, leaving more than 300 people

1970 — Jordan's King Hussein and Palestinian commando leaders agree on ceasefire to end fighting in Jordan. 1972 — Japan's Premier Kakuei Tanaka arrives in Peking,

becoming first Japanese premier to set foot in China since World War II.

1973 — Three-man crew of US space laboratory, Skylab 2, makes safe splashdown in Pacific Ocean after record 59 days in

1976 - Proposal for eventual black rule in Rhodesia is accepted by Rhodesia's Prime Minister Ian Smith in broadcast to his

nation. 1984 - Jordan and Egypt resume diplomatic relations after seven-year break.

1986 - China and Soviet Union agree to resume talks about disputed border region after eight-year suspension. 1988 — Lawlessness persists in Burma, and security forces

fatally wound 12 people and injure 5 others in capital of

## Expectations raised to a high plateau

### De Klerk brings with him a new style of politics

COMPARISONS with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev and perestroika may be premature, but President F.W. De Klerk has brought a new style and new possibilities to South African politics.

An array of obstacles stands in the way of his professed goals of peace, justice and black-white power-sharing. Yet the fact that he states these goals, repeatedly and earnestly, sets him apart from the men who preceded him in power.

Prominent black opponents of his government are deeply skeptical, and they may be proved right. Some of them concede, however, that the government for the first time has adopted a rhetoric - if not yet a policy — that reflects some of their own

hopes.

"His vision of a new South Africa.... is the vision

Ambhishan Desmond we want," said Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu, winner of the 1984 Nobel peace prize and one of the government's most persistent critics.

So sweeping are some of De Klerk's statements no more white domination, a phasing-out of racial discrimination — that he may find he has raised expectations he cannot meet.

He acknowledged this in his inaugural speech Wednesday, saying he would not accept responsibility for "over-enthusiastic or twisted versions"

He will be under heavy pressure to move quickly, with anti-apartheid leaders and Western govern-ments saying they want decisive steps taken within the next several months. Among the moves De Klerk is likely to consider:

Releasing Nelson Mandela, Walters Sisulu and other jailed leaders of the African National Congress guerrilla movement. De Klerk knows that a broad range of black leaders will refuse to negotiate on a constitution unless Mandela goes free. He is likely to approve Mandela's release despite fears in some government quarters that it could spark a

 Modifying or repealing the remaining legislative cornerstones of apartheid, the laws that classify South Africans by race, allow municipalities to segregate public facilities, and establish segregated residential districts.

 The continued removal of discrimination is an important objective," De Klerk said in his inaugural speech. But he has yet to renounce his support for segregated schools and neighbourhoods.

● Lifting the state of emergency, which has been in effect since June 1986. De Klerk says he hopes to "create a climate" in which the emergency can be ended, and he already has negated some of the impact by ordering police to allow peaceful mass protect marches to take place. But police still detain activists without charging

Gavin Relly, chairman of South Africa's largest conglomerate and a frequent critic of apartheid, has urged the international community to give De Klerk a chance to carry out his programme without imposing a timetable or threatening further sanctions.

"Just as Mikhail Gorbachev has found that perestroika cannot be achieved in the twinkling of an eye, and that serious attitudinal and institutional obstacles have to be confronted and gradually overcome, So De Klerk will have to confront difficulties of the same order," said Relly, chairman of the Anglo

American Corp.

The weekly Mail, an anti-apartheid newspaper in
Johannesburg, also likened De Klerk to Gorbachev, saying both leaders were learning that the process of reform "is not to direct change, but to ease controls and wait for the unknowable to happen."

For De Klerk, this syndrome is most evident in his decision two weeks ago, while acting president, to allow mass protect marches. Tens of thousands of people of all races have joined anti-government parades in major cities, including militants display-ing banners of the African National Congress. "Like Gorbachev, De Klerk has a security establi-

shment who prefer the old way of doing things," said the weekly Mail. "Perhaps the biggest question is whether De Klerk shares Gorbachev's resolve and wile to outmanoeuvre the 'securocrats.' The centrepiece of De Klerk's programme is a

vague proposal to negotiate a new constitution that would extend political rights to the country's 28 million blacks while protecting the 5 million whites from black domination.

In effect, De Klerk is suggesting that each racial group would have veto power over major policy decisions, with deadlocks to be broken by some sort of independent arbitrator. It is highly unlikely that even black leaders, let

alone the ANC, would accept an outcome that falls so far short of a one-person, one-veto system. But blacks might be willing to sit down and talk if De Klerk takes the preliminary steps they have demanded—freeing Mandela, legalizing the ANC, lifting the state of emergency and restrictions on

political activity. The most powerful black moderate, Zulu leader Mangosuthu Buthelezi, said he believes that De Klerk intends to move forward.

He called on blacks to "move away from the weak position of revolution and internal violence, which can never bring victory for democracy, and move toward the politics of negotiation."

An indication of the flux in South Africa came last week in an editorial in the Kenya Times, a newspaper published by Kenya's ruling party that customarily depicts the white government in Pretoria as evil and racist. (Johannesburg, South Africa — AP)



F.W. de Klerk: new vision

### Civil disobedience gets a new lease on life

NON-VIOLENCE civil disobedience is enjoying a renaissance in South Africa, where Mahatma Gandhi fashioned his methods of

And although South Africa's white-led government has apparently decided to adopt an easier attitude towards anti-apartheid dissent, the civil rights movement shows no sign of relaxing its policy of peacefully breaking race

Black protesters have demanded treatment at whites-only hospitals and restricted activists have risked imprisonment by appearing to speak at political rallies.

Protesters have picnicked at beaches reserved for whites, and pupils have marched to opened to all races.

The Mass Democratic Movement (MDM) has also targeted other segregated facilities such as buses, parks and swimming pools.

"Such campaigns are important components of our struggle. They are a demonstration that people are prepared to fight," said Murphy Morobe, leader of the MDM, a dissident coalition that launched a defiance campaign in August against apartheid and the exclusion of the black majority from elections won by the white National Party this month.

We can no longer let apartheid ruin our

lives, nor accept segregation and racial division," Morobe told Reuters.

"The present defiance campaign has been caused partly by the repression of emergency rule and the high-handedness (with) which the government deals with discontent and dissent," said Robert Schrire, a Cape Town political

"It helps to highlight the desperate situation South Africa finds itself in to solve the political logjam," he added.

Justice Minister Kobie Coetsee said in a statement that the government, while respecting the right of peaceful protest, must always unhold law and order.

A camel strolls past a wireless phone antenna in

Prime Minister Rajly Gandhi's constituency of

Amethi in north India. Heavy government and

private investments have brought prosperity to Amethi, once a backward area. (Reuter wirephoto)

"The right to hold meetings is therefore not unlimited. It must take into account the laws of the land, including the right of other persons to . safety, physical integrity and free movement,"

President F.W. de Klerk, confirmed as head of state after the poll, has tacilly given the go-ahead for mass marches and black political funerals which earlier would have been banned by the authorities.

Dissidents dismiss this apparent change, saying the detention of activists continues unbated and that De Klerk's vague reform plans to give blacks some political power are insufficient for them to abandon their campaign. Non-violent resistance in South Africa goes

k to the days when Gandhi, wor young lawyer in Natal province, developed a policy of civil disobedience which would later succeed in the struggle to end British rule in his

Gandhi spearheaded campaigns in South Africa between 1906 and 1914 against a decree that ethnic Indians should be fingerprinted and carry registration certificates at all times.

His campaign ended inconclusively, and the next milestone came in 1952 when the African National Congress (ANC) nationalist group launched the defiance of unjust laws campaign. Nearly 8,500 volunteers were arrested as

protesters led by Nelson Mandela deliberately broke apartheid laws, usually by occupying premises or facilities reserved for another race. "The 1952 defiance campaign managed to involve people even in the rural and farm areas.... that allowed the democratic movement to grow even stronger," said campaign veteran Nthato Motlana, now a community leader in

Soweto black township. He said the protest transformed the ANC, nowadays the main group fighting white rule from exile in Zambia, into a mass organisation which forged links between anti-apartheid

THE road to Amethi is choked with trucks carrying construction materials. Factories, schools and other

buildings are springing up in the former princely

Ten years ago Amethi was a cluster of villages in the dusty plains of the northern state of Uttar

Pradesh. Businessmen used to shudder at the idea of

investing in what they regarded as a rural back-

Amethi now boasts India's first radio telephone

The key to Amethi's new found prosperity is its

Businessmen, officials and Uttar Pradesh's vast

The Amethi seat was previously held by Gandhi's younger brother, Sanjay, who won it in 1980. Before

system linking villages. In other parts of Uttar

Pradesh many villagers have neverseen a telephone.

Member of Parliament, Prime Minister Rajiv Gan-

and ponderous administration now look on Amethi

his death in a plane crash in 1981, Sanjay had been

regarded as India's fastest rising political star.

Rajiv, who first won the seat in a by-election in

1982, will be returning to Amethi to seek re-election

Ajay Singh, opposition leader and member of the

state legislative council, concedes Gandhi should

have no difficulty in winning.

But Sanjay Singh, scion of the local princely family and a former Gandhi ally, has vowed to

dislodge the prime minister even though he himself

Sanjay Singh is accused of plotting to kill five-

times Indian badminton champion Syed Modi.

Singh, 35, claims he has been framed by Gandhi

because he left the Congress (I) Party in 1987 and

in national elections due in December.

is fighting to stay out of jail.

with a benevolent eye.

The campaign was halted in 1953 after the outbreak of violence in Eastern Cape Province and the government's introduction of a law which made it a heavily punishable offence to stage such protests.

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With the exception of a disastrous demonstration in 1960 against a susy high manual in carrying of pass books computed from acts and non-violent civil disobedience was brought to a standstill until this year.

The 1960 campaign ended in a bloodbath when police shot dead 69 protestors who left their pass books at home and presented themselves with thousands of others for arrest at a police station in Sharpeville, south of Johan-

ting to overthrow white rule.

Draconian laws against public assembly, culminating in 1986 with a state of emergency, and the banning of anti-apartheid groups and activ-ists, have since nipped protest in the bud. Many observers believe the present MDM

defiance campaign has reached its goal of highlighting what many see as the futility of an election or apartheid reforms which exclude the black majority.

"Foreign governments are reacting more to the unelected leaders than to the elected government. Foreign policy is shaped by the sit-ins, the swim-ins, the marches and the demonstrations," the influential Business Day newspaper

Even when De Klerk launched a pre-election drive to meet several black African leaeders, his trips and discussions were overshadowed by reports of Cape Town police turning water cannons filled with purple dye on defiant protestors.

"To disobey laws that are fundamentally unjust is morally imperative. Not to destroy unjust laws is to collaborate with them," said Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu, one of the key supporters of the campaign. (Johannes-

His supporters say the case is aimed at undercut-ting Singh's influence in the area to ensure an easy

Singh, released on bail while the court case contin-

ues, is continuing his political campaign against

"I will get the sympathy vote because people know it is a false case," Singh said in an interview. Singh's family wields enormous power in Amethi

but political analysts say that ranged against him is

the might of the Congress political machine and the

huge investments private companies have made

creating a pocket of prosperity in an otherwise

"Ten years ago there was nothing here. Now I can't find the plot of land I owned," said Ali Razak.

80, pointing to a huge fertilizer factory in Jagdish-

insulators and employing more than 1,000 people.

roads here, no tubewells. Now you can see the

What works against Gandhi are local issues.

Across the street is a plant manufacturing electric

Ram Lakhan Tiwari, a Congress activist, said: All progress here is because of Rajiv. There were no

Peasants are upset that roads in villages are still in

bad shape and that irrigation is inadequate. They

say the high technology radio telephone symbolise

In many villages aerials have been installed for the

Raj Karan, a tea-stall owner in Punnupur village,

said: "What use are these poles to us? Who are we

going to talk to when the phone comes?" (Amethi,

telephone system but there are no phones.

election win for Gandhi.

progress Amethi has made."

Amethi finds new prosperity



"I still think I ve something to offer at 35 and intend to play regularly until we find some-thing who is better than me." — former

"We have absolutely no concessions to make to the other where assolutely no concessions to make to the other side while the other side has made no concession. With regard to the Khmer Rouge ... we cannot make any concessions at all. If we are not sine of the elimination of the Pol Pot regime, we cannot make any further move. "—Cambodian Premier Hum Sen on the need for dismantling the Khmer Rouge.

"Many people in Spain, particularly on the left, were embarrassed by the deal which they saw as the final act of the old regime." — A Spanish political analyst on the ceding of administration of the Spanish Sahara to Morocco under the Madrid Accords of 1976.

he said "In Jamaica, we say there are two types of friends—the ones who help you plant trees and the ones who just come to sit under them." — Canadian Ben Johnson when asked recently about his life now, cited a Jamsican

"The IRA is being contained and kept under relentless pressure by intelligence penetration. This policy must remain infinitely more cost-effective — and protective of life — than encircling defence installations in rings of steel." — Daily Telegraph on the activities of the IRA after the explosion at a marine barracks in England.

"I think the government has bitten off more than it can chew by inviting us along to watch. I don't think anyone's trying to deceive us, but the organisation just isn't there to let us know enough about what we see." — an invited observer to the Victnamese pullout from Cambodia expressing surprise at secret pullout of military equipment.

"There is no way we can accept the 10-point plan without including clearly and explicitly the need for the Palestins Liberation Organisation to take part in the political process on an equal footing with the other parties."

underground leaders of the Palestinian uprising criticising Egyptian proposals for peace talks with Israel.

nation, reflecting its spirits and traditions. Mr Berlin ranks among such composers, having become a living legend."

US President George Bush paying tribute to songwriter

ted and stirred millions and will five on forever." -- former US President Ronald Reagan and wife Nancy paying tributes to Irving Berlin.

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fashion ONE of the things I enjoy most in the fall is looking at the men's fashion supplements in the magazines and newspapers. I study them faithfully in the hope that I can find out what I should be wearing in the months to come. I must admit that I am puzzled about what the supplements show. A jacket looks as if it's falling off the model's shoulders, the pants are tumbling down to his knees, the shirt is wrink-

led, and the sleeves are so long you can't see the man's fingers. Every suit looks as if it was just unpacked from a duffel bag, as does the person who is wearing it. Page after page is filled with men whose overcoats hang down to their ankles and whose hats fall over their ears. In most cases, there is a jazzy girl in the picture hanging on for dear life to the man's scarf.

There isn't an outfit in the supplements that anyone would buy. So, I ask myself, who purchases these creative works of tailoring? To get the answer, I went to see Gerry of

Georgetown, a hot haberdasher, who is a lifth cousin to Louis of Boston. "Gerry, I just looked through this fancy men's magazine and it seems to feature clothing

for the homeless. Who buys this stuff? Gerry said: "Nobody. It's aimed at kids on trust funds who hang out in discotheques all night long before their parents are divorced." Why would they produce clothes like this if

no one buys them? Gerry took me into a fitting room and whispered: "They don't manufacture those kind of

clothes. They're not idiots." "If they don't make the clothes, who do they advertise them?"

"Because they need something new to display. People are not going to be attracted to an ad showing ordinary clothes like the ones they wear to work. In real life, every man's suit looks like every other man's suit. So, they make un one of each of these KGB monstrosities and they put them in the supplement. If anyone calls to inquire about one, they hang up on him."

"How do they get that rumpled, washed-out, down-and-out look in the sports jackets?" "I don't know about the rest of the menswear tycoons, but I have a friend who throws his clothes onto the Garden State Parkway in New Jersey and lets the eight-wheel tractor-trailers do his pressing for him." "No wonder they look so great in the ads."
"My friend is a trend-setter in the men's

fashion business. He was the first one to develop a necktie that looked as if the person wearing it was hanging himself with a noose." "Do the manufacturers ever advertise anything in a supplement that a man can actually

"I've never seen it. You have to get it out of your head that just because you see men's clothing in a magazine doesn't mean it has anything to do with what you are expected to pat on this sinter. If you attempted to wear any of the state, you'd lose your arms in the sleeves. trip over your baggy pants and kill yourself with your belt buckle."

"I'm glad that you explained it to me, otherwise I would have thought I was weird."

"If you try on one of those corduroy, doublebreasted off-the-collar, silhouette suits - then you'll know what weird really is." Los Angeles Times Syndicate

### Quote me



England international and currently player-manager of Queens Park Rangers, Trevor Francis after scoring a hat-trick in a win against Aston

. . . . "If I've lost friends now, they were friends I didn't need,"

"If a person stays in the same place for a long time, to some it's unusual, to others it causes a lot of jealousies, still to others a lot of speculation, and that is what is happening. You will find newspapers headlined 'Contender to the throne disposes of a rival.' Instead of getting angry you laugh. — Kadzamira denying she has political ambinous after President Banda of Malawi.

"Very few composes have come to touch the soul of a Irving Berlin who died Friday.

"We are deeply saddened by the death of a wonderfully talented man whose musical genius deligh-

## BUSINESS & FINANCE

High US interest rates hit Third World

## Sustained growth doubtful for many indebted countries

WASHINGTON, Sept 24, (Reuter): Top economic policymakers looked forward today to an eighth straight year of global growth but faced some problems --- an unruly dollar, big trade imbalances between nations and a heavily indebted Third World.

Although economic growth will slow this year and next, a. world recession looks unlikely, the International Monetary Fund said in its semi-annual

outlook today. The staff's projections envisage a continuation of the recovery that began late in 1982, one of the longest on record," said the fund, the policeman of

the world economy. It forecast that the global economy will grow about three per cent both this year and next after expanding four per cent in

The group of 10 — Belgium, Britain, Canada, France, Italy, Japan the Netherlands, Sweden, the United States and West Germany, plus Switzerland - said today they too were optimistic provided inflation can be kept in

But the IMF saw some problems ahead as its policymaking interim committee met

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The most pressing is the strong dollar, which has risen more than 10 per cent this year and threatens to undernme efforts to put lopsided world trade back into better balance.

The IMF forecast that the US trade deficit and the Japanese and West German trade surpluses will expand next year, par-tly because of the strength of the

The Group of Seven (G-7) industrial nations, which form the core of the IMF's interim committee, yesterday said they were opposed to any further rise

in the currency.

The group — Britain, Canada,
France, Italy, Japan, the United
States and West Germany — also made clear that they were willing to back up those words with actions in the currency markets

### Accord derailed: Mubarak

CAIRO, Sept 24, (Reuter): Egyptian President Hosni Muharak was quoted today as saying the IMF had derailed progress towards an accord on economic reform by introducing unreasonable last-minute demands.

in an interview with the Washington Post in Cairo, Mubarak said the International Monetary Fund had asked Egypt to impose tougher measures than those agreed in July.

"We can't do it. We know our people and there is a limit," Mubarak was quoted as saying in a text of the interview made available to Reuters.

I am keen on reforms but if the people start rioting, it will be a setback for all the reforms."

In July, both the IMF and Egyptian officials said they were optimistic about prospects for an accord after Cairo announced plans to cut its budget deficit -- a key IMF demand.

But hopes of an early agreement have recoded after two other IMF demands — for exchange rate reform and a rise in interest rates — appreared to be greater sticking points than expected. Economic experts say Egypt may now have to wait until the beginning of next year before a deal can be signed.

Egypt needs IMF approval of its economic reform programme before it can reschedule some of its \$50 billion in foreign debt. But it is resisting IMF pressure for speedy reform, fearing that discontent about low wages, rising prices and food shortages could crupt into full-scale riots.

by selling dollars. But even some G-7 policymakers admitted that there is only so much they can do.

"I've said on a number of occasions that the G-7 and centrai banks -- we don't control the market. The market controls the level of the currency," Canadian Finance Minister Michael Wilson said.

.The G-7 has been arguing that the dollar should be lower to help reduce yawning world trade gaps, but so far the market has ignored it, instead focusing on the healthy US economy and high US interest rates.

G-7 sources said the group did not even discuss what some currency dealers say is the key to bringing down the dollar lower interest rates in the United States and higher rates in Japan and West Germany. Lower US rates would make the dollara less attractive currency for investors

The high US interest rates are also hurting the debt-ridden nations of the Third World, most

ber two spot at the IMF, jumping past France, West Germany and Britain to end up behind the United States.

Growth among developing nations is expected to rebound in 1990 to four per cent after slowing to 3.2 per cent this year from per cent in 1988, the IMF

But the picture for heavily indebted nations and lowincome African countries is not as rosy, the report said.

"Growth in the heavily indebted developing countries has remained non-satisfactory, and it is now expected to slow from two per cent in 1988 to one per cent this year," IMF research director Jacob Frenkel said at a

There is a substantial risk, therefore, that these countries' performances will improve only slowly during the period ahead,"

Gross national product, the total output of goods and services, among the industrial nations should grow by 3.5 per cent in 1989 and slow to nearly three per cent in 1990. That compares with a nearly 4.5 per cent growth rate in 1988.

The IMF cautioned the industrial nations against substantially lowering interest rates even though it said a rise in world interest rates has hurt growth in developing countries. It argued that, with many industrial economies near full output capacity, lower rates would spur inflation.

"Given the potential costs of a return to high inflation, a significant relaxation of monetary policy in the industrial countries would seem unwarranted," the

Inflation among the industrial nations is expected to slow to 3.9 per cent in 1990 from 4.5 per cent his year, it said.

The IMF also said it was worried that the process of correcting trade imbalances among the industrial nations has slowed and in some cases stop-



World Bank head Barber Conable (left) and International Monetary Fund president Michel Camdessus talk prior to the start of the Group of 24 meeting at the IMF building in Washington Sept 23. (Reuter wirephoto)

### IMF renews support for Brady plan

(UPI): Top officials of the International Monetary Fund voiced renewed support today for US Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady's debt reduction plan for development nations, urging commercial banks to remain active participants in the debt

strategy.
The Group of 10, which overs borrowing from the IMF's \$120 billion fund built up by the quota contributions of its 151 member nations, also echoed the global economic outlook expressed yesterday by the Group of Seven largest industrialised nations, which pledged to hold the dollar and inflation in check.

During the IMF's annual meeting, the finance ministers and central bank governors of the G-10 countries, "reviewed the debt situation of the developing countries and reaffirmed their support for the strengthened debt strategy" launched by Brady, a statement issued after the morning session said.

The group "welcomed the progress made in the implemen-

provides a framework for debtor countries and banks to reduce the Third World debt burden by loan forgiveness, rescheduling payments at lower interest rates and new loans. Mexico and its commercial creditors signed a Brady pact in July.

The G-10 statement included an apparent effort to overcome doubts voiced in financial circles as to the Brady plan's viability following last week's round of loan loss reserve increases by US

### Banks may intervene to stem the **US** dollar

WASHINGTON, Sept 24 (Reuter): Leading central banks are expected to intervene strongly to stem the dollar when currency markets open tomorrow, but caution among trades could be shortlived, market analysts said today.

The Group of Seven leading industrial democracies voiced its strongest disapproval over the strong dollar in more than a year after its finance ministers and central bank governors met in Washington yesterday.

The US currency has risen 17 per cent against the Japanese yen and 10 per cent over the West German mark this year, threatening to undermine efforts to correct lopsided world trade.

Traders said they expected members of the group — the United States, Japan, West Germany, France, Britain, Italy and Canada — to redouble efforts to dampen the dollar by intervening aggressively to sell the currency, probably as soon as Asia-Pacific markets open tomorrow.

"Monday will be D-day," said a trader at one European bank. "After this comment, the Bank of Japan will be in the market."

A US trader said the United States Federal Reserve "will probably be in the market in the Far East tomorrow."

Concerted Central Bank intervention will instill some fear into the market tomorrow.

### **New factory**

BAGHDAD, Iraq, Sept 24 (AP): Iraq today opened a 2 million dinar (\$5 million) factory in Alexandria, 38 miles (60 kilometres) south of Baghdad, to build engines for tractors.

The plant was built by the state-run Automobile Manufacturing Enterprise and will produce about 10,000 diesel engines a year for tractors assembled in a nearby plant. Design expertise and know-how were supplied by the Turkish company Yazis.

### D deposit. rates ease

KUWAIT, Sept 24, (Reuter): Kuwaiti dinar interbank today in response to a continuing influx of liquidity from end-of-

month salary payments.

Dealers said the Central Bank was still offering government treasury bills on the secondary market but banks were not buying. Rates had firmed yesterday after many operators took the bills, draining excess liquidity.

"People are not very interested because the Central Bank rates are too low today," one dealer

Overnight was offered at 6-1/4 per cent. Tomorrow-next fell one point to 7-1/2, 6-1/2 while spotnext eased to eight, seven from 8-1/2, 7-3/4. The one-week declined 1/2 point to eight, 7-1/2

One-month deposits eased 1/4 point to 8-1/4, eight while three-months slipped 3/16 point to 8-3/ 8, 1/8. Six-months to one-year were little changed at 8-1/2, 1/4. The Central Bank left its dinar exchange rate unchanged as nor-mal today at 0.29992/02.

### interest lates

KUWAIT, Sept 24, (Kuna): Following are the average KD interest rates o ocal interbank transactions as reported by participants to Central Bank of Kuwait today.

1 month 8-3/16 6 months

## demand soars

of whose borrowings are in

"Seven years after the onset of the debt crisis, the prospects for a

sustained improvement in

growth remain in doubt for many

The world's poorer nations

But major nations said they

The fund said developing

countries can do more to help

themselves by putting their econ-omies into better shape.

G-7 gave to Poland, urging it to

reach an early agreement with the IMF on economic policy.

Despite G-7 nations' protesta-

tions that their power is limited

when it comes to debt and the

dollar, they have squabbled over

their respective rankings in the

That was the same advice the

yesterday called on the rich to do

more to ease the crushing burden

were aiready doing all they can and urged their international

creditor banks to do more.

indebted developing countries,

the IMF said.

of Third World debt.

Opec still needs to assign quotas

GENEVA, Sept 24, (Reuter): The world has suddenly rediscovered a thirst for oil but Opec, meeting in Geneva today didn't look as if it was about to hit consumers with a swinging new price rise.

At most, oil market analysts predicted, the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries might add a dollar a barrel or so in coming months to world crude oil prices - now averaging \$17 compared with almost 40 a decade ago.

But such were the differences among the 13 exporters that the talks' outcome could even be a slight softening of prices.

"Where's the price resistance right now? It's here," said Peter Gignoux, director at the international energy department of finance and trading house Shearson Lehman Hutton Inter-

national. Geneva.

The ministers have before them a report presented when the talks opened vesterday by their Vienna-based secretariat which conference sources said shows that demand for Opec oil has rebounded to 22 million barrels

That is up by nearly a million on estimates made only a few months ago. Gasoline demand in the United States is strong. Asia's economies are booming.

"And the first thing that anyone who gets a little bit richer does is go out and buy a car," Gignoux added.

Instead of cashing in. Opec is beset by problems inherited from the glut of the mid-1980s which it cansed when it sent prices skyhigh and stampeded consumers

out of oil and into coal and gas and into a drive for energy efficiency.

Even with oil demand rebounding, Opec still needs to assign output quotas to its members to keep prices up. But the basis on which these quotas are allocated has been challenged by some

They say their mandated volumes are unjustly low, given their huge oil reserves Others have refused to give up

market share to accommodate

That infuriates poorer, debtladen Opec nations like Algeria and Venezuela - they have faced riots against economic austerity in the past year - because the excess supply has kept prices below a declared Opec goal of

### Police close food processing firms

AMMAN, Jordan, Sept 24, (AP): Police have closed 14 food processing firms and arrested 95 people in a case involving stolen vegetable oil smuggled in sewage trucks, a Health Ministry official said

The official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the contaminated oil had "led to some food poisoning cases," but he would not reveal the num-

ber of cases or give details. He said the Health Ministry found proof of contaminated oil at nine of 14 local factories investigated. He said the plants produced potato chips, sweets and baked goods.

with five other shut down a precautionary measure

until "ongoing thorough investigations bring out final evidence."

Officials have been tight-lipped about details of the case, and have not revealed the names of the shops closed or the people arrested. Local news-papers said rumours of the case had led to a sharp drop in sales of pastries and potato chips in Amman. An Interior Ministry statement released today

said the oil, originated in Europe, was diverted from Iraq-bound shipments unloaded at Jordan's Red Sea port of Aqaba and was shipped to Amman in sewage tankers to avoid detection.
It said 95 people had been arrested and 345 tons of

oil confiscated, along with the trucks that transpor-He said the nine plants were ordered closed, along



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### Gulf banks stop forward trading in Indian rupee

KUWAIT, September 24: Several banks in the Gulf have stopped forward transactions in Indian rupees, following the steady depreciation of the currency, according to Economic

Cheques, drafts and other documents drawn in Indian rupees and submitted for clearing or discounting at a number of banks across the Gulf, are being processed only on a collection basis by financing institutions, which are unwilling to take any chances with the exchange rates for the rupee.

Banks in the United Arab Emirates, where the bulk of the rupee transactions in the Gulf are concentrated, said the Indian currency touched an all-time low of dirhams (DH) 218.5 per thousand rupees last Monday.

A half dirham recovery later in the week was dismissed as inconsequential and bankers said the Reserve Bank of India's announcement on Wednesday, fixing new rates against the sterling and pushing the rupee downward by 25 paise did not inspire confidence in the currency.

Banks are unwilling to quote forward rates before processing documents on collection basis because they argue that forward transactions in rupees in the last one year and more have cost them dearly, thanks to the steady depreciation of the rupee.

Despite their best efforts at hedging, banks in the Gulf region have not been able to deal effectively with changes in rupee value. Non-resident Indians (NRIs) with stock market investments here are in a quandary as a result of the decision by several banks to deal with documents only on collection basis.

With banks, on which dividend drafts are drawn, refusing to quote rates for crediting them, other agencies are charging heavily for the service of sending drafts for collection.

An NRI here, who recently credited his dividend draft for \$38, found to his dismay that \$25 out of this figure had been wiped off as collection charges.

This is good news, however, for NRI investment advisors who are suddenly in demand for advice on a way out of this situation. Several NRIs in the Gulf said they had already asked advisers to help in having dividends credited to their non-residential external accounts in India instead of receiving the money abroad.

Bankers in the Gulf said bills and other trade documents were also being increasingly processed only when they were submitted for collection. They are worried that discounting of documents on the basis of a forward transaction in rupees will entail substantial loss of funds in view of the continuing crosion of the value of the Indian currency.

Some banks in this region have gone to the extent of advising their large customers about trade transactions with India to avoid opening letters of credit. They argue that with the steady fall of the rupee, they stand to gain in trade deals by paying for goods at sight ins-

tead of through letters of credit.
Since late 1988, bankers in the Gulf stopped dealing in the Lebanese pound after the currency failed to stand up to a severe battering in exchange markets, a spin-off of the civil

In most states in the Gulf it is now impossible even to send a remittance in Lebanese pounds because few foreign exchange dealers are willing to either buy or sell the currency. The situation . with regard to the Indian rupce is, however, nowhere nearly as bad, Gulf bankers said.

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### **British** industrial production declines

LONDON, Sept 24, (Reuter): Government figures showing a surge in Britain's bank lending for August suggested yesterday that Chancellor of the Exchequer Nigel Lawson faces further problems in his drive to stifle inflation.

Lending by banks and building societies (mortgage agencies) rose by \$8.4 billion (\$13.2 billion) in August compared with 7.2 billion (11.3 billion) in July.

Financial analysts, looking for signs the economy was slowing down and inflationary pressure easing, had expected a figure of around £6.5 billion (\$10.2

They said the rise in lending was largely caused by corporate borrowing, though personal loans had also risen.

Britain's inflation rate stood at 7.3 per cent in August, well down from its peak this year of 8.3 per cent in May and June but much higher than many rival Western trading nations.

Since inflation in Britain began to rise steeply in mid-1988, Lawson has almost doubled bank base interest rates from 7.5 per cent to 14 per cent with the aim of damping demand. But analysts said yesterday's statis-tics suggested the policy was having only limited success.

Figures for factory industrial output released last week indicated manufacturers were slowing production in response to a tail-off in consumer spend-

Growth in factory output slowed from an annual rate of 4.7 per cent in June to 3.7 per cent in

Labour productivity figures, reflecting the efficiency of British industry, provided further bad news. July showed an annual rate increase of 4.1 per cent, compared with 4.7 per cent in June.

### **UK clears** Goldsmith's bid for BAT

LONDON, Sept 24, (Reuter): The British government yesterday gave a conditional go-ahead to financier Sir James Goldsmith's hostile takeover bid for London-based tobacco and financial services giant BAT Indus-

The Department of Trade and Industry said the offer, Europe's largest at £13.5 billion (\$21.3 billion) and being made through Goldsmith's investment vehicle, Hoylake investments Ltd. would not be referred to the Monopolies and Mergers Commis-

statement the government could reconsider the proposed acquisition "if there is a material change in the terms of the bid or other material facts.

The ruling, which rejected calls for an inquiry into the bid, was described as regrettable by the opposition Labour Party's trade and industry spokesman, Bryan Gould.

Takeover bids are normally referred to the commission if they threaten to reduce competition, although the trade and industry secretary can also order an inquiry in the public interest.

Ministers in the Conservative government have been reluctant to exercise this right, preferring to let the market rule. In his first major decision since assuming the trade and industry portfolio in a cabinet reshuffle in July, Nicholas Ridley seemed set to follow the same policy.

BAT, one of the world's largest conglomerates with operations in 90 countries, rejected the bid when it was made in July. It accused Goldsmith of trying to get richer at the expense of its shareholders.

### Campeau announces major corporate realignment

## US economy moving along at a healthy clip.

NEW YORK, Sept 24, (UPI): Government reports this week showed economic growth in the second quarter slowed but remained healthy, while the latest consumer prices indicated inflation may not be as serious as it appeared

The Commerce Department reported on Friday that the gross national product grew at a 2.5 per cent annual rate from April to June, slower than the 2.7 per cent rate previously estimated, but still an indication the economy is moving along at a healthy clip.

The downward revision confirmed growth in the second quarter was the slowest since the last quarter of 1986, but it nevertheless indicated that the economy recovered from even slower growth in the first quarter that was a disguised by a rebound from last year's drought.

On Tuesday, the Labour Depart-ment reported consumer prices were unchanged in August, marking the first month in more than three years that the consumer price index did not rise.

Economists said the report showed inflation was not as serious as was feared, but they warned that one reason for the index remaining steady was a large drip in energy prices, which had risen significantly earlier this year.

Also on Tuesday, the Commerce Department reported housing construction, depressed by higher mort-gage rates, fell 5 per cent in August. New homes and apartments were built at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.35 million units is August, down from 1.42 million in July.

A number of major US banks added to their reserves this week for troubled Third World loans.

Manufacturers Hanover Corp. added \$950 million to its loan loss reserves, bringing its lesser developed country exposure to 36 per cent and resulting in a third-quarter loss of \$775 million. Manufacturers Hanover also agreed to sell a 4.9 per cent stake for \$120 million to the Japanese Dai-Ichi Kangyo Bank Ltd. The Japanese bank agreed to purchase for \$1.28 billion

control in Manufacturers' CIT Group Inc., the largest investment in the United States by a Japanese bank. Chase Manhattan Corp. added \$1.1

exposure to 46 per cent and causing a \$1.31 billion third-quarter charge.

J.P. Morgan and Co. added \$2 billion, the biggest increase so far, which will result in a \$1.8 billion quar-

terly loss.

billion to its reserves, bringing its

Campeau Corp., having trouble meeting its junk-bond credit obligations, reached a \$250 million loan agreement with Olympia and York Developments Ltd. The loan will be used primarily to buy inventory at Federated Department Stores and Allied Stores

O and Y also agreed to participate in the refinancing of an \$800 million bridge loan due in April, conditional on the sale of Bloomingdale's and the redemption of 75 per cent of Allied and Federated debentures, notes and preferred stock by Campeau at Sept 15

Campeau also announced a major corporate realignment including a four-member restructuring committee and a new board of directors.

A spokesman said Robert Campeau's personal holdings would drop from 54 per cent to 43.2 per cent, while O and Y's stake would rise to 38.4 per cent if the warrants issued to O and Y were exercised.

Britain's Department of Trade and Industry ruled Thursday that Hoylake Investments Ltd is free to proceed with its \$21 billion hostile takeover bid for BAT Industries Plc.

Secretary of State for Trade and Industry Nicholas Ridley said he decided not to refer the proposed equisition to the Monopolies and Mergers Commission under the provisions of the fair trading act. Industrialists and the opposition Labour Party had called on the DTI to investigate the highly leveraged bid.

The decision represents a major victory for Hoylake partner Sir James Goldsmith, who with his consortium has been seeking to seize BAT in the biggest takeover bid in British history.

BAT, the tobacco, insurance, paper and retailing conglomerate and Britain's third-largest company, said it was disappointed by Ridley's decision:

British luxury carmaker Jaguar said Friday its board of directors considered Ford Motor Co's bid to acquire a 15per cent stake in the company unwel-

A spokesman for Jagnar's US opera-tions said the carmaker's board has decided to try to keep the carmaker independent, which it believes could be the best long-term interests of everyone associated with the company.

Ford, which informed Jaguar earlier this week it would seek to purchase holdings in Jaguar, declined comment on the announcement, other than to say it does not consider its bid to be hostile. Initially, Ford's share of Jaguar would be limited to 15 per cent because of corporate restrictions. Those rules

expire at the end of 1990, however, and

Ford's bid, estimated at about 180

further raising of its equity in Jaguar. Chrysler Corp. said Friday it will sell

about 45 per cent of its holdings in Mitsubishi Motors Corp. to a number of Japanese financial institutions, realising an after-tax gain of about \$310

The sale, valued at \$592 million, will reduce Chrysler's equity in MMC from 21.8 per cent to 12.1 per cent, but will not affect the 18-year working partnership between the US and Japanese car

companies, the two carmakers said. Industry analysts viewed the move as a quick way to generate cash at a good profit for Chrysler, which earlier this year announced a massive 15-month plan under which it plans to trim 1 billion from its overall costs through several measures, including cutting its white collar work force by about 8 per cent, or 2,300 jobs.

Chrysler acquired 25 per cent of equity in September 1971 to become a co-owner of Mitsubishi Motors with Mitsubishi heavy Industries.

## ACC leaders to sign package of accords

Framework for economic integration to be endorsed

SANAA, Sept 24, (Reuter): Egypt, Iraq, Jordan and North Yemen will lay foundations this week for a common market embracing half the people of the Arab world.

The four heads of state of the seven-month old Arab Cooperation Council gather in the North Yemen capital Sanaa tomorrow to sign a package of agreements ranging from trade and travel to education and

Sanaa, one of the quaintest capitals in the world because almost all new buildings retain the antique style of stone exteriors and arched windows, is decorated with coloured lights for the combined summit and revolutionary celebrations. Pictures of the four ACC

leaders line the main streets and youngsters are offering postcard copies for sale to passengers in cars when they stop at traffic

Yemenis are expecting to see President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt, Iraq's Saddam Hussein

and King Hussein of Jordan join President Ali Abdullah Saleh on the reviewing stand on Tuesday for a military parade com-memorating the 1962 republican

revolution The ACC summit meeting officially lasts until Wednesday although not all the visiting leaders may stay to the end.

The main thrust of the new bloc is economic integration in the style of the European Economic Community.

"We are giving priority to the economic aspect — a single market and an integrated economy," Iraqi Deputy Prime Mini-ster Taha Yassin Ramadan told reporters after a ministerial meeting in Baghdad in April. "If we do not achieve econ-

omic unity we cannot achieve any other unity. All previous Arab unity agreements failed because they did not concentrate on economic unity. But defence and security have

preparatory meetings of ACC

been discussed at

Diplomats in ACC capitals say the four leaders are bound to exchange views on Lebanon's civil war, Egypt's fostering of peace talks and Iraq's conflict

The four heads of state founded the ACC in Baghdad on February 16. At the other end of the Arab world, Mauritania, Morocce, Tunisia, Algeria and Libya set up a similar group the

same dav Gulf Arab states are linked by an eight-year-old pact. Syria, Lebanon, South Yemen, Sudan, Somalia, and Djibouti remain outside the three-way line-up of Arab states.

Sprawling 2,600 km (1,600 miles) across the heart of the Middle East, the ACC is the most awkward of the three blocs because neither Egypt nor North Yemen has a land border with its

But with a total population of 80 million it dwarfs the others in manpower and military strength. The ACC members are broadly in step on a conservative

approach to regional issues—on bad terms with Iran's Islamic revolution, displeased by Syria's just-lifted siege of Lebanon's Christian enclave and favouring Palestinian leader Yasset Arafat's peace overtures to

They were drawn together in part by Arab support for Iraq during the 1980-88 Gulf war.

Egypt was an important source of Iraqi arms and Jordanian roads gave Baghdad a vital path to the sea which bypassed the Gulf — a route on which a rail line is now proposed.

Labour migration is one of the main economic links within the ACC. A million Egyptians work in Iraq and 100,000 in Jordan. At their first summit in Alexandria on the Egyptian coast in June the four leaders agreed to scrap visa requirements for each other's citizens

The 16 accords to be signed in Sanaa were approved by a meet-ing of Prime Ministers in Baghdad on September 17.

### **Workers to** face tough austerity

MOSCOW, Sept 24, (Reuter): Soviet workers will have to endure tough austerity measures to help the country overcome its massive budget deficit, a leading reformist economist has said.

Leonid Abalkin, a deputy prime minister and close adviser to Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev, told the government newspaper Izvestia that cutting the deficit was the Kremlin's top priority.

He said the government would introduce an "austere economy of resources" and keep a lid on wage increases through taxation. on funds available for pay hikes. Wages would have to be kept

down and resources conserved in order to attack the budget deficit, now running at \$200 million, he "There is no alternative to per-

stroika, there is no alternative to

radical economic and political "Rejection of the course of perestroika means rejection of the future.

Abalkin noted the economic situation in the country had continued to deteriorate in the past 24 months, with innovation, productivity and quality all lagging behind

As a result, dissatisfaction with the pace of reform was mounting, he said.

### More employment planned

### Daily urges greater role for private sector

NICOSIA, Cyprus, Sept 24, (AP): An Iranian daily today called for a greater role for the private sector in Iran's economy in the five-year development plan now being completed.

The officially-sponsored Tehran Times said shares of government enterprises should be sold to private investors. According to the official Islamic Republic News Agency, monitored in Nicosia, the paper said that more employment and greater economic growth would be promoted if the government ceased by stages to directly operate industries "which can better be run by the private

The paper also called for deals with foreign countries which would bring in needed technology in return for Iranian goods. "This again can have immense long-term benefit for the economy of

the nation," it said. In what appeared to be a call to encourage Iranian businessmen who have fled the Islamic revolution to return or to prevent new defections, the paper said "nothing will come of the best-laid plans if the best

management goes away."
"With efficient management and a quickening of economic expansion, the human resources can be tapped to good use to bring the nation

It said the private sector must be encouraged to take a greater role in Factions among Iran's clerical and accular leadership have been split

on the issue of greater or less control of the economy since the 1979 The debate took a back seat during the eight-year war with Iraq which ended with a ceasefire in August 1988 but has come to the fore

with preparation of reconstruction plans. The Tehran Times is generally associated with the views of Iranian President Hashemi Rafsanjani, himself a private businessman as well as a cleric, who represents a less hardline faction of the Iranian leadership. Those advocating greater private sector participation say a cumber-

some government bureaucracy prevents efficient distribution of goods and is riddled with corruption, causing shortages.

They say measures must be laken to three foreign exchange, hourded inside and outside Iran, back into the market.

## Austerity budget planned

Bid to improve balance of payments

AMMAN, Sept 24, (Reuter). Jordan's Finance Minister Basel Jardaneh, in remarks published yesterday, said Amman planned an austerity budget for calendar 1990 that would improve the balance of

payments and narrow the budget deficit.
In an interview with the local daily Sawt Al Shaab and the Saudi Arabian newspaper Al Jazira, Jardaneh said the 1990 state budget would reflect the spirit of the economic reform plan reached with the International Monetary Fund (IMF) in April. He said the expected budget would put spending

at 1.090 billion dinars (\$1.7 billion at official rates) compared to this year's projected spending of 1.035 billion dinars (\$1.60 billion).

Jardaneh said the budget anticipated revenues of 960 million dinars (\$1.5 billion), leaving a deficit of around 130 million dinars (\$211 million), or 10 per cent of the gross domestic product (GDP).

He said local revenues would be increased by around 15 per cent in 1990 while public spending

would not exceed eight per cent, a formula that would help reduce the budget deficit. Jardaneh left for Washington on Friday to attend the annual meetings of the IMF and the World Bank and no Finance Ministry official was immediately available for further comment.

The kingdom of nearly three million people, has long relied on Arab aid and remittances of Jordanians working abroad to finance its chronic budget and balance of payments deficit. The IMF programme aims to reduce the budget

deficit from about 25 per cent of GDP in 1988 to six

per cent in 1993 and to cut the balance of payments It also aims to rebuild the foreign exchange

reserves to the equivalent of three months' exports by 1993 and to achieve GDP growth of four percent in 1991, compared to a 3.5 per cent fall in 1988. Jordan, facing a foreign debt of more than \$7 billion, plunged into economic crisis when a foreign exchange shortage forced it to devalue the dinar by more than 40 per cent of its dollar value.

In July, it won agreement from the Paris Club of major Western creditor nations to reschedule debt repayments due this year and next.

Amman has also reached an agreement in princi-ple with the Soviet Union and the London Club of major commercial bank creditors to delay repayments due in 1989 and 1990. Before rescheduling, Jordan faced repayments of

\$1.21 billion this year and \$1.28 billion next year. Jardaneh said a year-long ban on more than 12 consumer items, including cars and television sets, air-conditioning units, marble, granite and artificial flowers, would be lifted by the end of this year.

The former government of Prime Minister Zeid Al Rifa'i, which was ousted after April price riots, imposed the ban in November to save up to \$200 million in foreign exchange that was spent on the import of such items.

Jardaneh expected Jordan's imports of such commodities to drop after the ban is removed because of the dinar's devaluation and higher import fees imposed on these 12 items.

Further losses feared

### Meat exports ban CANBERRA, Sept 24, (Reuter): Australia's farmers, already suffering

from a ban on live sheep exports to Saudi Arabia, fear further losses from Taiwan's decision to ban imports of beef.

The double blow could cost the industry some 20 million dollars (\$15 million) a month due to lower local prices for sheep and cattle, the Australian Meat and Livestock Council (AMLC) said yesterday. Taiwan's announcement on Wednesday that it was suspending beef imports was "unhelpful and contrary to liberalisation of world trade,"

Trade Minister Michael Duffy said in a statement on THursday.

Arland Ussher, vice-president of the cattlemen's union, said the action by Taiwan, a growth market for Australian beef exports, "could seriously undermine consumer confidence."

Taiwan imposed the freeze on beef import licences for all countries after protests from local farmers that they could not compete with Australia on August 22 suspended its live sheep exports to Saudi

Arabia, which had turned away 300,000 sheep saying they bore the diseases blue tongue and sheep pox. Australia, which says the diseases are not present in its commercial flocks, sold the sheep to other Gulf states and is trying to set up talks

with Saudi Arabia and Taiwan to settle the two issues, an Australian

government spokesman said. But the loss of the Saudi market has caused a sheep surplus, depressing local prices and causing monthly losses of some 15 million dollars (11.25 million), the AMLC said.

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### Pilots dispute may change Australia's industrial ties

SYDNEY, Sept 24, (Reuter): Prime Minister Bob Hawke's struggle against the domestic airline pilots' union could lead to a new era an Australian labour relations.

Businessmen and union leaders sav Hawke's battle to crush the pilot's campaign for higher pay will determine the future of the ruling Labour Party's industrial policy, which is built around an accord between the government, the bulk of the union movement, and industry.

The struggle, which has provoked splits in the union movement, will also be an important factor in elections due by mid-1990 when Labour will seek an unprecedented fourth term, political analysts say.

Hawke says the ruling party will emerge unscathed despite the mass resignation of all 1,640 pilots, which has left domestic air services and the tourist industry in chaos and cost the economy dearly.

The accord provides for a central wage fixing system and has limited pay rises to just below annual inflation. The Labour Party has used the system as an effective weapon to maintain wage restraint and industrial peace.

Hawke says a collapse of the system would lead to a wages explosion and destroy the economy, already overburdened with a huge trade deficit and high foreign debt. Many economists and business leaders agree with

Once Australia's leading trade union official, Hawke now accuses the Australian Federation of Air Pilots (Afap) of trying to dismantle the accord by seeking direct negotiations with airlines over its demand for a 30 per cent wage rise.

The Afap denies its action will lead to a collapse of the accord, which it says has benefited the vast majority of Australia's over three million union members. 'Hawke is taking the country to genocide. We are not. We are not party to the accord and

we want to negotiate with our employers," an Afap spokesman said. Hawke has declared the dispute a national emergency and pressed the Air Force into civilian service. He has invited overseas airlines to carry local passengers and approved foreign charter flights through Aus-

tralian skies. He waived millions of dollars in landing fees to compensate the domestic carriers, Australian Airlines, Ansett and East-West Airlines, and invited third parties hurt by the dispute to take the pilots to court.

Hawke's tough stance has so far kept the accord intact and the powerful Australian

council of trade unions, which provides him with a significant power base, out of the fray. The government and the airlines have formed an axis to isolate the Afap and rebuild the domestic airline industry with newly recruited local and foreign pilots.

Hawke says each of these moves is intended to apply only to the pilots dispute. But this view is not shared by many, even within his OWIL DAILTY. industrial relations in Australia will never

be the same, regardless of how the dispute is

resolved, many union officials and industrial-They say the radical moves against the pilots, unprecedented in the Labour Party's history, will eventually apply to other industries and disputes. "The changes will be wide-

The first cracks in the union movement appeared this week when a veteran union leader chided the government for what he described as heavy-handed handling of the dispute.

spread and permanent," one industrialist

Left-wing union leader John Halfpenny said it was disturbing that Hawke had not even tried to encourage negotiations between the Afap and the airlines.



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# Terror stalks a star

Race against time

## **Hewants** to kill me

in which she must win. For losing could lend in death for her and her baby, due in September.

Theresa, aged 34, has nine months to stop the man who savagely attacked her seven years ago from being released from prison. Just nine months to ensure he does not carry out his threats to kill her and

After that time Scottish drifter Arthur Jackson is due to be released from jail. Meanwhile, Theresa is fervently staging a campaign to keep him behind bars. But as each day passes, she believes his reign of terror looms closer.

Theresa, who played Robert de Niro's sister-in-law in the movie Raging Bull, told me: "I've tried very hard to put this behind me, but there's no way I can do that when Jackson gets out. "I won't have a minute's peace. He wants to kill me - and my

child. I am scared, scared for myself and my family."

For, ever since Jackson was jailed, he has been writing threatening Theresa went on from her Hollywood home, the address of which

she keeps secret. "He has said he will find me no matter where I bide, and no FBI agent or bulletproof vest will save me, either.

"Jackson told me his divine mission in life is to murder me. He has
this sick idea that we should be in heaven together."
Theresa's attacker also claims that "be hears her voice in his cell"
and has a "sacred death wish."

"My husband, Phil Peters, has been very supportive and kept me sane. But even he is worrying now."
Release due

Jackson, who has served seven years of a sentence of 10 years and four months for the attempted murder of Theresa, was due to be released on parole for good behaviour in June this year.

Therese explained: "When I heard this I was terrified and angry. Terrified because of what Jackson said he was plaining to do to me, and angry because some crazy guy like him was going to let loose on "It's grossly unjust. If he is well-behaved, he can be released on

parole. Meanwhile, he has threatened me for years. Jackson has said, over and over again to anyone who'll listen, that he's planning to kill A few days before Jackson was to be let out of Vacaville jail, California, he lost his parole because of bad behaviour. Now

is not long, but she hopes it is long enough for her to win her fight to keep Jackson locked away for good.

She said: "Now I know he's behind bars for a little longer, I can sleep easier. I can have my baby in peace this September. I have suffered enough anguish, and I want the first few months after the

Theresa has nine months reprieve as Jackson serves his extra time. It

"Once we settle into normal family life, I shall vigorously promote my campaign to keep Jackson in jail. It's not long I know. I just hope the legislation to respirate located way will all be street out by next year. My priority is to keep into family safe.

"Everyone is on my side, even the prison officials. There has been a national outcry over my predicament. But I have a lot of technical legal hitches to overcome before I truly relax."

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Theresa explained that the District Attorney for Los Angeles, Ira Remer, is investigating the situation. He is planning to draw up emergency legislation in a bid to keep Jackson locked away either in prison or a mental hospital.

If the campaign is not successful, the fear that has filled the days

and nights of Theresa's life in the past few months will return.

Theresa's nightmare began in 1982. Jackson, who has an obsession with her after watching Raging Bull, slashed her from "head to toe" with a kitchen knife as she left the West Hollywood apartment from which she has since moved.

She was rescued by a deliveryman who grabbed Jackson and held him until the police arrived. Theresa, who lost 24 pints of blood, was rushed to hospital where surgeons operated for four hours.

"I remember very little about the attack," she said. "I have blanked most of it from my mind because it is too painful a memory.

Rebuilt

"I have had to rebuild my life and try to carry on as normal. It has been a struggle, but I have pulled through. And I'm not going to let a crazy man ruin my life again."

After Raging Bull, Theresa played in Defiance, opposite Jan
Michael Vincent, and I Wanna Hold Your Hand, about the Beatles.

Theresa, who has also appeared on several American TV series, has recently finished the film Angel Town. Theresa met her husband Phil after the attack. She said: "He has

been great. If it weren't for him, I would be much more upset, much "He has taken care of me emotionally, which has taken a tremen-

dons burden off my shoulders. I think I would crack up without him by my side.
"Phil made me feel optimistic about the future. In fact, life was just getting back to normal when the prison authorities announced Jackson was to be released."

Plans to deport
Immigration officials are interested in Jackson, too. There are
plans to deport him to England, where he is wanted to help police
with their inquiries in connection with a murder case.

But a deportation hearing could be months away. And Jackson will be free, if he can pay a bond, fixed after his release.

Theresa said angrily: "He's a tremendous danger, not just to me but society in general. But because of ludicrous technical hitches in the law, Jackson will be allowed to terrorise people" Mr Reginald Reece, press officer for Vacaville prison, said Jack-

son was to be paroled in June after seven years because there was no problem with his behaviour in jail. Then Jackson broke a window. Now if he continues to be good, he will be set free next March. Mr Reece said that, technically, Jackson was not in violation of the law by making threats to Theresa. He added that prisoners can write

to whoever they want to, and Jackson can only serve time on the conviction the court imposed.

But Mr. Reece stressed that, if Jackson went anywhere near

Theresa or had any type of contact with her, he would be sent back to Despite Jackson's campaign of terror, Theresa refuses to hire

bodyguards or install an expensive security system, like many frightened Hollywood stars.

She explained: "Jackson is the crazy one and I don't see why I should be guarded at my expense or my family's. I don't see why we

should spend our hard-carned cash because of a maniac who should be behind bars. "It makes more sense that Jackson should be kept in a safe place rather than us being surrounded by burly bodyguards and wire

sences. My home is not a prison and I don't want it to be one, ever."

Meanwhile, Theresa can relax with Phil and prepare for the birth of her baby. At present, she is safe in her secret haven, which is a world apart from Vackaville prison.

But only for a while. Nagging at the back of her mind is the terrible thought that Jackson could soon be free. So, even if it takes every hour of the day, Theresa says she will fight to keep her attacker under

She told me: "I think he is sick, and sick people should be locked up. He tried to kill me once and I vow that he will never get close enough to try it again."

I'm scared



### Tin soldier in tinseltown

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ONE simple flaw in an entryphone could have led to the murder of actress Rebecca Schaeffer. So says bodyguard to the stars, Doug Collins who is warning stars to make sure their entryphones are working. One faulty wire could mean death...

Rebecca was shot down on her own doorstep when she answered the door to a mystery caller. The intercom linking her Hollywood apartment to the entrance of her building was not working. So the 21-yearold TV star answered the door to her killer.

Doug, whose clients have included Madonna, Michael Jackson, Sophia Loren and Robert Redford, was speaking for the whole Hollywood community when he expressed shock and outrage at the senseless

killing.
"This is the first time it has happened to somebody appearing on the horizon," he said. "Before, it was famous people like John Lennon and Sharon Tate. But this is the first time that it's been a newcomer. This has never happened before — it has terrified

Minding

Doug, who has never lost a client in 14 years of minding, revealed to me that he is protecting two starlets who have asked for his help in the wake of Rebecca's cold killing. "Since Rebecca's murder, most starlets are petrified," he said. Given the nature of secrecy that goes hand in hand with Doug's job, he could not tell me the name of his new

The man now being held for Rebecca's murder had been tracking her for months. He had even gone to a detective agency to trace the object of his obsession. Tragically, the agency believed he was sincere and gave out her address. "It could happen again," said Doug. "You can cross-check a name on a computer easily. Stars cannot do anything

Doug, who delivered divorce papers for Joan Collins to Peter Holm, feels the US gun laws have a lot to answer for. "How can these sick people get guns?" he said. "Why are they allowed to purchase weapons? Only law-enforcement representatives should carry guns, as opposed to the general

populace buying a weapon through

someone down a back alley .

Such a revision of the American right to bear arms would mean that Doug, who sometimes sports a .357 on his hip, would himself be unarmed. He has said in the past that such a weapon "is going to go where you aim it.

But this 6ft 3in former lifeguard and marine captain is a gentle giant. His style of approach is summed up by his words to Moonlighting star Bruce Willis: "Stay with Daddy at all times. That's all you have to

Parental tone

And it is a parental tone that Doug is using now on anxious starlets in Hollywood. 'Don't talk to strangers," he tells them as well as ordering them to travel incognito.

Doug, who has also taken care of Barbara

Streisand, Princess Stephanie of Monaco and Muhammed Ali, explains how he keeps guard of his eminent employers. "You have to know the person's activities and have a plan so that they are isolated," he says. "It comes down to one thing — you are a deterrent. You really have to walk a thin line between paranoia and common sense.

"The man in the Rebecca Schaeffer case appeared normal and it was in a low-key neighbourhood, full of middle-class families not like a typical Hollywood area."

The man nicknamed the Silver Stallion by some of his clients believes the current fear in the showbiz capital of the world is not temporary. One big problem, he says, is "copycat crime." He told me: "What is so tragic is there are other psychopaths who are motivated by acts of violence and they Doug's wisdom comes from 14 years of

experience with some of the world's top celebrities. But he regards TV stars as par-ticularly venerable. "If you're on TV, you're in the person's home," he says. "Michael J. Fox was in a TV series for seven years and received 5,000 letters from one fan. As far as she was concerned, he was hers." The woman in question was apprehended and imprisoned for harassment.

"TV stars are more worried - and with



Doug with Princess Anne

justification, as you can see from the Dallas incident," says Doug, referring to the day a gunman burst on to the set of the popular series looking for actor Ken Kercheval, who plays Cliff Barnes. The man, Ed Phillips, was a business associate of Kercheval and had every intention of killing him. In the end, he turned the gun on himself.

By a bizarre coincidence, this incident happened in the same week as Rebecca's murder. Her killer also tried to kill himself once he had gunned her down. The 19-yearold man had told a friend he intended to harm Rebecca because she did not answer his phone calls.

Such an obsession is frightening familiar to Raging Bull actress Theresa Saldana -and her fear is doubly justified.

In 1982 she was slashed by a crazed knifeman. The attack left her gravely ill, losing 24 pints of blood and having to undergo surgery for the gashes inflicted by a man who thinks he and Theresa should be in heaven together.

Now, as the birth of her first child approaches. Theresa is fighting against the release of that man from jail. Star stalkers

Theresa and Rebecca are not the first stars to have killers or potential killers trail them. Jodie Foster, Oscar-winning star of The Accused, made a deep impression on one man with her performance as a child prostitute in Taxi Driver. The man was John Hinkley, who attempted to assassinate Ronald Reagan when he was President. He thought it would please the woman he idol-

Linda Gray and Cher have both paid the price of success. Linda had to make an entire series of Dallas under armed guard and Cher was forced to sell her Los Angeles mansion because a fan kept trying to get in.

Olivia Newton-John turned her California rench into a fortress when a trespasser threatened her.

Doug Collins had to move into the Los

Angeles home of Ringo Starr and his family after John Lennon was murdered outside his New York home by Mark Chapman, who believed himself to be the real Lennon, and his victim an impostor. A gunman shot dead two unarmed

security guards at the Universal Film Studios last year. He was looking for TV actor Michael Landon, star of Highway to Heaven. Doug remembers the incident with bitterness: "That man cannot stand trial for the murders because of his mental incompetence.

Doug's hope of an America with restricted gun use look unlikely in an atmosphere where the attempt on Landon's life saw a boost in membership of the Beverley Hills Gun Club, founded by Rambo actor Sylvester Stallone.

And with FBI estimates of 24,000 "celebrity stalkers" in the US, it is no wonder stars want to be quick on the draw ...

## Tap pyramid power: pay up

### **Growing mystique**

GIZA PLATEAU, Egypt, Sept 24, (AP): Some chant. Some meditate. Some dance. Some sit in the lotus position and hum.

Every year hundreds of seekers of the occult trek to Giza plateau to absorb the mystical forces said to be inside the pyramids of Pharaohs Cheops, Chephren and Mycerinus.

Believers say pyramid power can cure a host of ills, give glimpses into the future, provide a better night's sleep and even halt ageing. And it's all been free for the taking, included in the price of tourist ticket to the pyramids, three Egyptian pounds (\$1.20).

Under new rules, pyramids afficianados need more than their faith in the supernatural to tap into the pyramid mainline. They also need money.

Zahi Hawass, Giza plateau's director-general, said groups of up to 15 people are allowed "to meditate or seek extrasensory powers" in the pyramids for 1,000 Egyptian pounds (\$400) and only outside normal tourist hours. Each extra participant pays 50 pounds (\$20).

Newly installed television monitors allow inspectors to stop group meditation during regular hours to prevent clogging of narrow passageways and

Hawass said seven to eight groups ask permission each month to conduct seances inside the pyramids. Most want to spend the night inside or to enter at the first rays of dawn.

"In the US and elsewhere, you have a lot of people with problems, and these people are seeking solutions. They look to the supernatural, and they think of the pyramids." Hawass said.

"But we can't let these groups interfere with tourists wanting to look at the pyramids from a historical or architectural standpoint.

Hawass said the most active pyramid-visiting mystical groups in the United States include the Edgar Cayce Foundation, which is dedicated to the study of the American psychic who died in 1945. Cayce taught that the secrets of Atlantis and knowledge of the future are buried under the right front paw phinx at th plateau.

In addition to Americans, theme cruises are organised in Europe, and growing numbers of Japanese tours come to Giza especially to "tap pyramid power." Hawass said. This pyramid power stuff is

really big." he said. "People want to believe in magic, and big structures give an air of magic. I'm sure if I called myself the pyramid prophet, I could have a following larger than the most famous Indian guru."

Built about 4,600 years ago, the pyramids remain enigmas to scientists as well as to seekers of the unknown.

The first person to enter the great pyramid of Cheops in post-Pharaonic times was the Caliph of Baghdad, Abdullah Al-Maamun, in 820 AD. He forced his way in by heating rocks, then breaking them by pouring on vinegar.

As generations of scientists. tourists, eccentrics and treasure hunters followed him, pyramid mystique grew over the ages.

Perhaps the most famous personality to enter in search of the occult was Napoleon Bonaparte, who spent the night of Aug 12, 1799, inside Cheops' pyramids and emerged ashen and shaken. He want to the grave in 1821 without telling what he experien-

ced.
"What's the use?" Napoleon was said to have told a friend. "You wouldn't believe me anyway.

Hawass said many people, especially in the United States, have ideas and theories about the Giza pyramids, particularly Cheops' great pyramid.

They read that Cheops is made of 2.3 million blocks, each one weighing 2 1-2 tons to 15 tons, each side at an angle of 51 degrees, 50 minutes and 35 seconds," he said.

They think nobody on earth could have built this, that the pyramids were built by people from outer space, or survivors from the lost continent of Atlan-

"They never look at what's attached to the pyramids, the structures, the organisation necessary to build them, the cult of the king."

He said more than 200 books about pyramid power have been published in the United States, but fewer than half a dozen contain any science of value.

Hawass, who had a doctorate in Egyptology from the University of Pennsylvania and has lectured throughout North America about the pyramids, said he'd never heard of pyramid power until he went there in 1977. "I was speaking to an audience in Hartford, Connecticut, and as

front row held a pyramids above his head," he recalled. "I asked, 'what are you doing?' and they explained about power trapped inside the shape of a pyramid.

"OK. I try to be open-minded. When I returned, I tried some experiments."

First was to test the theory that pyramids can preserve bodies. "I bought some meat and put

part of it in my office, part inside Cheops. The meat inside my office lasted longer than inside the pyramid.

### Beautiful Brittany

## Happy again

HOLLYWOOD, Sept 24, (UPI): Take a beautiful actress, keep slapping gobs of unflattering makeup on her, give her nothing but bitchy lines to read and presto: an unhappy actress.
Just ask Morgan Brittany, a

genuine beauty with light blue eyes and rich, cascading dark hair who would make a natural Snow White. But for years, Hollywood has limited her to portraying tough, hard women, including a murderess or two.
It was a calculated process by

makeup artists who applied gaudy eyeliner, harsh eye shadow, an overdose of mascara, a slash of dark red lipstick and highlighted cheekbones. The

The psychology of it all made Brittany a more sinister heavy than a plain Jane would have been. It's the shock value of seeing a stunning woman behaving viciously that provokes the impact.

Brittany played the scheming Katherine Wentworth in the "Dallas" TV series off and on for six years, killing off Bobby Weing in the show's wacky season-long dream sequence.

Thereafter she was typecast as a bad girl in a series of feature films and made-for-TV movies, Disenchanted with that, Brittany took off a couple of years to

work on her role as a wife to movie stunt co-ordinator Jack Gill and mother to daughter Katic and son Cody. Next month she will be seen in a reprise of the old TV series

"The Saint," a two-hour TV "Hooray, hooray, I play a nice guy for a change," Brittany said. "I'm so happy I was able to do a little bit of comedy and feel good about my character. They don't kill me or take me off to jail at the "I don't think any other

actress around today has played as many mean and bitter women. "I fixed horse races in 'The Wizard' and was hauled off to jail. In a 'Perry Mason' episode I was a murder suspect, in 'L.B.J.' with Randy Quaid I was the president's mistress trying to break up President Johnson and

Ladybird. "I've tried to convince producers I could play something other than a glamourpuss, the other woman or unsympathetic parts. They couldn't see me as a wife, a mother or a businesswoman or whatever.

"If a woman has a look like I do, producers automatically think she can't be funny. They forget about Carole Lomard and Irene Dunne."

Last year Brittany landed a starring role in the movie "Sundown' with Maxwell Caulfield, David Carradine and John Ireland. It was produced by Vestron and was identified as a comedywestern-vampire movie.

"Against my better judgement, I agreed to do it," she said. "It was so bad, I hate to think of it. But my prayers were answered. Vestron had troubles and the pictures won't be released to theatres.

"When it hits video stores it will either be a cult film or a bomb. I may change my name. But at least I got to play a wife for the first time in my career.

"My agents tried for a solid year to get me a comedy role. Participants with their new assignment — tailoring

## Tailoring courses begin

THE Association of Filipinos in Kuwait (Kapilku) held their first tailoring class last week at the Far East Restaurant. It was attended by more than 80 enthusiastic participants in the self- improvement course for tailoring offered by the

Eli Antolin and Bayani R. Trinidad were the instructors of the course. They showed the different materials which

were to be used in class and proper measurements of long trousers as well as other tailoring techniques.

Manny Inserto, Kapilku president, in his opening remarks expressed his sincerest thanks to all Kapilku members who in one way or another made the project a success.

Vice-president Sarah Macarimbang was the overall co-ordinator of the self improvement course. Her deputy was Jun Mercado.

The next session will be on Friday, Sept 29, at the Far East Restaurant at 9.00 am sharp.

The cutting and sewing will be done by all the participants.

The tailoring class is being sponsored by the Far East Restaurant.

### **NIGHT CHEMIST**

Kuwait Al Sharqiya Pharmacy Al Hilal Street, Opposite to the Communications Building, Murqab Al Baqsami Pharmacy Ahmad Al Jaber Street, Al

Hawalli and Nogra Al Najat Pharmacy Hawalli Property of Maryam Al Saddani, opposite to the Fire Complex

Sharq Square, Al Raed Build-

Salmiya and Rumaithiya Phoenicia Pharmacy Salem Al Mubarak Street, Plot 1, Khaled Issa Ai Saleh

Fahaheel and Ahmadi Sadaf Pharmacy Fahaheel, Makkah Street, Property of Faisal Al Daboos

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Al Noor Pharmacy Jahra, Al Matafi Street, Abdul Aziz Al Nasrallah Building

### **PRAYERS**

Fajr	4.19 am
Zuhr	11.40
Asr ·	3.06 pm
Maghreb	5.41
Teha	£ 59

9.00 Opening and Holy **Ginan** 

9.15 Sabah Al Khair News 9.20 Varieties 9.30 Iftah Ya Simsim 10.00 Magazine D'Actualite

10.15 Arabic daily Serial: Mawlood Fi Al Waqt Al Daye 11.00 Sabah Al Khair News

and Varieties 11.05 Local serial: Ajlah

Wamlah 12.05 Sabah Al Khair News & Varieties A cultural film

1.05 Holy Quran & Closed-

1.00 News in Brief

Evening

4.10 The World Today via 4.30 Cartoon serial: Children's Tales

Children & Summer 6.15 Arabic serial: Nihayat 7.30 Night Pharmacies,

flights and official ads 7.45 Cultural programme: World of Tomorrow Cultural programme:

Quran & Science News in Arabic Local programme Umsiyat Al-Ethnain 10.15 Arabic daily serial: Wajidah and Samih

11.15 Arabic drama: Tariga Fariya 12.15 World Today via

Satellite 12.45 Holy Quran & Closed-

### KTV2

6.00 Opening Announ-cement & Holy Quran 6.10 Bionic Six. A cartoon series for children

6.30 The Scheme of Things. 7.00 Proving Report. A weekly round-up of local, Arab and international news, events

and activities... 7.30 Charles in Charge "Pickle Plot"

8.00 News in English
8.30 Paradise. "Long Lost
Lawson" An ex-husband of "Ophelia."
attacks the bank ...But "Ethen" chases him along with his accomplice to get the money back...

deadlocked jury forces jurors Mary and San-dra to spend the night together in a hotel room on Mary's anniversary, but a lonely Lester and a flirtatious bailiff keep the girls entertained.

9.30 227. "Trial & Error" A

10.00 Tales Of The Unexpected: Youth From Vienna

10.30 Jack and Mike "Till Death Do us Part" Jackie receives bonquets of flowers along with telephone calls and love words from an unknown person in the meantime Mike is exposed to an attempt on his life... News in Brief

11.45 Magazine D'Actualite

Muslim Writers (WAMW) has finally been organised in

Abu Dhabi. The World Association of Muslim Writers is a nonprofitable organisation with the chief objective of serving Islam. Its continual efforts are towards providing quality literature: books, magazines. articles, reports, interviews, etc., for the cause of Islam.

We carry out these: activities in the light of the Quran and Sunnah.

The president of the organisation invites new members

to participate in the project. If interested, contact: Mansour Ali Khan, President, P.O. Box 46051, Abu Dhabi. Fax. 342088/Tix: 22106 Attn: Al Amamaem, Tel. 212556.

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Al Andalus

Nuts Salmiya Hall Booked Al Hamra Arabic film Drive-In Arabic film Al Firdous Sh<del>riman</del> Shrimati Fahaheel Open Jadduoar Fahabeel White Ghost Al Jahra Operation War Zone Blue Beard Salaibikhat

Concrete Jungle

Do Rajkumar

### ARTS

Kuwait Science Museum OPEN Sat - Wed, 8 - 9 pm only. Natural history exhibits from in and around Kuwait, including blue whale. Closed on Thursdays and Fridays. Islamic Arts Museum

SAT - Thurs.: 9 am to 12 noon and 4.00 to 7.00 pm. Collection includes rare Islamic artefacts, Quranic manuscripts; ceramics, carpets and marine equipment.

Tareq Rajab Museum SAT - Thurs: 9 am to 12 noon; 4 to 7 pm; Fridays: 9 am to 12 noon. Collection of Islamic arts, costumes and jewellery from the Muslim

### Sadu House

SAT - Thurs: 9 am to 12 noon; 4 to 7 pm. Exhibits include bedouin handicrafts rugs, saddle bags, cushions and textiles. Closed on Friday.

**Watercolour Painting** 

### LEARN watercolour painting with Patricia Millins, 8 week

courses for Beginners and Advanced for details tel: 5618847. Pottery and Crafts Develop your child's creativity in pottery & crafts (8-

12 yrs old). Also watercolour

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### for adults. For details Tel: 5618847, 5317354, 9 am - 12 поол & 4 - 6.30 pm.

SOCIAL

### Ahmadi Musicai Society REHEARSALS for the

1989/90 season will start on Saturday 16th September, at 7.30 pm at the Kuwait Little Theaire, Ahmadi. New singers welcome. For further details ring 3912384.

### NOV 16: A annual gettogether nite with live music from "Stepping Stones and Top-Ranks having lots more amusements, surprises awaiting at Le Mirage ballroom -Ramada Al Salam Hotel. Contact: Mr Alex -- 2426334, Mr

### **Pakistan Arts Circle**

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Navelim Youth Centre

A SERIES of programmes is being organised by the Pakistan Arts Circle, which includes mushairas, musical varieties, literary discussions, etc.

Families are most welcome. Please register your names on Tel. Nos. 5323693, 5717585 or

### **Colva Nite**

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OCT 19: Annual Colva Nite at New Baliroom of Ramada Al Salem Hotel. Top Ranks in attendance. For details contact Tele. 2413884/2434776/56291-41/4310913 after 5 pm.

Vienna Boys Choir The Vienna Boys Choir will be performing at the Kuwait International Hotel on 26th September at 8:00 pm in the Grand Ballroom. Tickets available at the Reception counter: 2530000/8040. KD8.00 for adults. KD5.000 for child under 12 years.

### Breeze '89

Mario on Tel. No. 2441860/67 after 3.30 pm.

### Filcheck chess

SEPT 26: The Filipino Chess Club in Kuwait (Filcheck) invites all Filipino Chess enthusiasts to join the first "Active Chess Tournament."

(2409650).

of Sony Supplying Store. For more details contact Edward 2421868 or 2402405.

Around the world with Willy Fog: Wednesday, 20 September at 6 pm, Thursday 21 September at 10.30 am (52 min). This is a charming adaptation of Jules Verne's classic novel "Around the World in Eighty Days", with one major difference. All the characters are animals. Willy Fog, an elegant gentleman, offers a bet of half of his fortune that he can go around the world in 80 days. Accompanied by his French valet, Rigodon, and their small companion with a big heart, Tico, they set off in an incredi-

hold a gala social for children and adults at the Tent. SAS Hotel. Fifty-five attractive hamper prizes and other gifts will be given away.

OCT 26: Tivim Centre's — Breeze '89 is going to hit the floors of Ramada Al Salam hotel New Ballroom at a social evening organised in commemoration of village festival. Top Rank and Stepping Stones will provide scintillating music, lots of surprises awart. For further information pls contact the organisers, Casmiro or

Attractive prizes await the lucky winners. Entry forms are available at Kabayan Restaurant. Deadline for submission of entries is Sept 15. For more details contact Edward Racaza (2421868, 2402405), Chito (2443961) or Jun

### Flicheck logo

THE Filipino Chess Club in Kuwait "Filcheck" announces the start of the search for its club logo. The contest is open to all club members and officers. The artwork must be about 8-10 cm. in height and width. Selection of the winning logo will be based on the following criteria: Creativity and Originality -50%, Theme Execution - 30% and Visual Impact 20%. Entries must be submitted at FILCHECK headquarters or Kabayan Restaurant on or before 26 September 1989. The lucky winner will be announced during the opening of Filcheck's first active chess tournament on 29 September 1989. The winner will receive valuable prizes courtesy

**British Council** 

### ble trip around the world.

Moods & Melody "Moods & Melody" performs "Geet Maala" — a presentation of pop songs from Hindi, Malayalam, Tamil and Telugu films - on 12th October 1989 at Indian Arts Circle auditorium, Funaintees at 7.00 pm. For more details contact Tel: 4338579 and 2407418, after 4.00 pm.

Dec 8: Expatriates Club will

### Spoken Arabic

The Public Authority for speakers. The programme, starting in October 89, is for beginners and having intermediate knowledge in coloquial conversation. The telephone Nos. 2413050 Ext. 243, 269; 2455860 Ext 454, 455, 457; 2411383.

### Konkani drama

Nov 2, 3: The new GOA (near GPO).

### Pakistan Arts Circle

A get-to-gether party will be Sept, 1989 at 8.00 pm.

ther information, please contact tel. 5323693, 5717585. 4848643 or 4716258.

### Palarong Pilipino Annual All the winners in the just concluded Palarong Pilipino organised by the Kapisanang Pilipino sa Kuwait (Kapilku) should submit their pictures on

nal Affairs and the Chairman of the 9th Palarong Pilipino Souvenir Programme. For group, the picture must

Sponsors and donors who may wish to place ads must contact Sarah Macarimbang,

### Kapilku Night

The Association of Filipinos in Kuwait (Kapilku) will hold their Kapilku Night on Friday, September 29 in Holiday Inn Hotel at 5.00 pm. This singing contest is open to all Filipinos and the competition is divided into two categories, namely, Bagong Kampeon (regular singing contest) and Sing-Alike. The first three winners in each division will receive valuable prizes from the sponsors. Interested participants are requested to contact VP Sarah Macarimbang the chairperson at 4843447 and Rod Cerezo at 2433595, the co-ordinator.

### Free Tailoring Class

Applied Education and Training is starting to offer spoken-Arabic classes for non-native registration will start on 16th September, 1989. Those who are interested please contact on 6th. Those interested may contact Mohan George at 3904817 after 6.30 pm for enrolment. Or

presents M. Boyer's "Chint-nam Zallim Sopnam" at the IAC (Funaitees). Cast includes the Charlie Chapin of Goa 'Jacinto Vaz' along with Remy Colaco, Seby Coutinho, Betty Naz and others. Tickets now available. Contact Canary Video (Sharq) or Video Clock

held at the residence of PAC's Sr. Vice-President Farooq Khan, on Thursday, the 21st Families already registered are cordially invited. For fur-

or before September 22 to Homer L. Mesina, Vice-President of Media and Exter-

be coloured and the size is 5"x7" with their officials and players and for the individual it must be coloured and the size is also 5"x7".

### Vice-President for Social and Cultural Affairs at 4843447.

Kapisanang Pilipino sa Kuwait (Kapilku) will hold their free tailoring class to all bonafide Kapilku members beginning Friday, September 22 at Far East Restaurant from 9.00 am to 12.00 noon. This selfimprovement course is one of the many projects by Kapilku. The class will run every Friday and end on October 3. All materials needed for the class

### are given free to all participants. Master cutting, Barong Tagalog and executive suits will be covered in the

course. For particulars, please contact Sarah Macarimbang Vice-President for Social and Cultural Affairs at 4843447. Overnight picnic

THE IAC is planning an overnight picnic for members to Failaka on October 5th and

### Bijili Varghese for details on 5613908 (R) or 2438011 ext.

An evening with SPOK
THE Samahaning Pilipinong Optometrist sa Kuwait
(SPOK) will hold their annual get-together party at the Grand Jahra Ballroom of the Meridien Hotel on Friday, October 6, 1989 at 6:pm. The affair entitled "An Evening with SPOK — A Touch of Class" aims to encourage the Filipino community in Kuwait to get themselves acquainted with the Filipino Optometrists and become aware of the various services SPOK can render for their individual optical needs and visual problems. Proceeds of the affair will be donated to charitable institu-

tions in the Philippines. For particulars, please contact, Dr. Rose "chi-chi" Luna, Tels: 2415901/2419285 and Dr Rosafe Austria, Tel: 2435712.

OCT 20: A red letter day for stage play Affeccionados. The Filipino Cultural Club (FCC), under the chairmanship of Buddy Patungan, proudly represents another unque innovation of theirs, this time, directed by Joey Laurente, the energetic "brains" behind the sensational SISA. Highlighting the intricate interesting life of its central character, Austrian composer, Wolfgang "Amadeus" Mozart. This two hour stage play will hold the same vibrant, all spirited team of the legendary "Fiesta

Filipina '89" Featuring Tolits Matig-A, in his most dramatic role ever, see him play the magnificent figure of "Saheri". At the Al Jahra Ballroom of Le Meridien Hotel, watch the director/ choreographer of "Fiesta '89" turn actor himself in "the saga of Amadeus" plus a whole cast of lovely and dashing characters that FCC has in store for

D'Assissi Association OCTOBER 6: Ninth annual Thanksgiving mass will be held at the Holy Family Cathedral at 8 am followed by a get-together after mass. All D'Assissi ex-students along with their families and friends are invited. For more details contact: 2444379 or 2469811.

Star Nite DEC 21: Star Nite at Ramada Salam 'Al Dira' with Perfect Strangers music. Children's programme at 5 pm from 2-1/2 years to 12 years. Other programmes start with sumptuous buffet. Fabulous hamper prizes and variety social entertainment under 555 sponsor-

### ship. For reservations contact tele. (res) 5331940 or 2413706 pm only.

Magic show

NOV 9, 10: Expatriates Club
will organise the first magic
show in Kuwait. Internationally known Indian magician
Marco will perform at the
Granada Cinema Watch out Granada Cinema. Watch out for further details.

Kuwait Kannada Koota NOV 3: As part of the Nehru Centenary and Karnataka Rajyotsava Day celebrations, the Koota has organised a variety entertainment programme followed by dinner at the Sharq Co-op Auditorium. For entry passes contact tel. nos. 5621922/ 5650264/5745483/3714089.

Barefoot in the Park DUE to unforseen circumstances, one male role in the Kuwait Players production of 'Barefoot in the Park' needs to be filled. If anyone is interested in taking over this role, please ring the Director Ken Winston оп 5740256/7 ог 5625316.

**Kuwalt Singers** KUWAIT Singers has just started rehearsals for their seasonal concert. Rehearsals are on Saturdays and Mondays at 7.30 pm at the Gulf English School, Salwa. If you enjoy singing come along and join us. For further information tel. 5384873.

### HOTELS

AL GHAZEER: Take the unique opportunity and experience the old Kuwaiti seafaring traditions. Have an exhilarating trip on our superb dhow "Al Ghazeer." Available for full day and half day trip along the Gulf coastline. For bookings, please call up 5657000 ext 416.

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5657000 ext. 403 and 540. PEACOCK ROOM: visit the Far East with SAS, visit our Peacock Room. Offers wide varieties of delectable Chinese specialities. Open for lunch and dinner daily. For reservations pls call 5657000 ext 403 or 532. BISTRETTO: Have a taste of Itlay. Visit the Bistretto, SAS hotel's speciality restaurant. Offers great tasting pastas, pizas and other Italian favourites. Continental and international arealso available. Open for breakfast, lunch and

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can serve you on the dot. MONGOLIAN BBQ: Try something different, try our Mongolian BBQ. For only 5 KD for adults and 3 KD for children, you can have welcome drinks, hot soup, special dessert

and the pleasure of mixing your own combination of meats, vegetables and sauces. You can even watch our trained cook turnit into a real Genghis Khan Mongolian BBQ. Our duo Paradise will entertain you with delightful music while you dine by the poolside. Every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at our Viking pool. For reservation, pls call up 5657000 ext 403.

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sday evenings. Live entertainment during dinner.

LA PALMA: Presents a culinary trip around the world featuring authentic Chinese, Indian, Mexican, African, Italian, British, German/Austrian, Turkish and Arabic dishes. Theme nights on Saturdays and Tuesdays. Telephone:

2530000/2533000. At the Holiday Inn THE COFFEE SHOP: A variety of continental and Oriental cuisine to suit everyone's taste for hunch or dinner at KD5.000 per pax and half price for children. AL ANDALUS: Thursday.

Arabian night. Savour the

exotic food especially prepared

for the night. Our local entertainers provide wonderful music. FAMILY BRUNCH: Friday, a wholesome day for the children. Bring along your kid and enjoy entertainment from Walt Disney cartoon characters and magic by the great magician. Prizes and surprises awaits each kid. Price

KD5.000 for adults and half per kid. THE SWIMMING POOL: From 8.30 pm have a great night out by the pool to soothe the summer heat. Barbecue, music, games, prizes and surprises awaits each one. Bring your family 'n friends 'nsavour our delicious Sharazad barbecue at KD5.500 per pax and KD2.750 per child. ^

Meridien Our new VERSAILLES menu: The Versailles Restaurant celebrates the new season with an exciting new a la Carte menu featuring delicious

new seafood dishes and always the great value business. Enjoy a truly elegant and dining experience with the fine cuisine and atmosphere. International music is provided by Jo Lee a veritable One Woman Band is guaranteed to help to make a dinner at the Versailles truly a night to remember.

LA BRASSERIE: New

menu at the La Brasserie ... definitely worth the wait. The new a la Carte menu at the La Brasserie features a terrific choice of apettizer, entree and dessert. In addition to a lawsh buffet with different starters various hot dishes and mouthwatering desserts. And remember the buffet changes daily for the guests.

Every Saturday THAI COR-NER: Enjoy genuine Thai cuisine at the La Brasserie the Thai Corner features a variety of great authentic dishes in addition to the restaurants regular lavish buffet. Every Sunday COWBOY NIGHT: Taste the Texas fare

at the La Brassèrie no com-

promise with this salute to the

US includes live foot tappin country and Western music plus decor costumes and ambiance with more than a touch of the real Wild West. Every Wednesday the INDONESIAN CORNER: Enjoy some of the country's

best loved dishes at the La Bras-

serie in addition to the regular Brasserie buffet Every Thursday evening the JAZZ NIGHT: Tuck in in the tempo ... experience an evening of the great jazz sound in jam session at the La Brasscrie featuring delicious sea food buffet with that catch of the day freshness plus a range of local and international dishes.

Every Friday FAMILY LUNCH: Friday equals family fun only at La Brasserie ... layish buffet ... live entertianment toys and gifts for the children and even some real magic. Achieving new heights in good taste: New menu at AL FINTAS CLUB, super choice

of low calories snacks, sandwi-

ches and salads with tasty, good

health appeal, especially when preceded by a few laps in the adjacent rooftop swimming pool ool AL FINGAN (TEA LOUNGE): Stay on top and stay cool with our milkshakes promotion: As from the 17th to the 28th Sept there will be lots of variety of delicious milk-shake flavours: mango, chocolate, banana, strawberry

.. there can a little more refreshing on a scorching summer day than a mouth-watering milkshake whipped up Meridien style why not make it a daily treat. ALWAHA PALACE: Pasta promotion at Al Waha Palace

at the Salhia Commercial Complex till the 26th Sept pasta fortnight Enjoy a La Carte and daily special pasta dishes like fettucine ravioli, tortellini, salad pasta, and more. Discover why pasta is Italy's national dish while enjoying Al Waha's pavement where you can watch the world go by while experiencing the superb cuisine and gracious service that

### typifies Meridien.

Kuwait Regency Palace WE at the Kuwait Regency Palace would like to welcome you to our fantastic poolside barbecue every Wednesday night Tasty cuisine featuring selection of Continental, Arabic and Oriental dishes fabulous ambience and long cool fruit juices. Give yourself a treat. Enjoy an evening out with your family and friends. For your reservations, dial telephone 5728000 extn 6007.

Kuwaft Plaza Hotel

NEW microscovery day at Al Dallah Coffee Shop with variety of Oriental, Arabic and Continental dishes to suit everybody's taste. Enjoy more than thirty different appetizers. mezzah, main course and dessert. A lavish buffet for KD2.995 only. Breakfast with a selection of more than 25 dishes to choose from and savour. Eat as much as you can with coffee and tea. It is the breakfast you like most for fils 995

MARCOPOLO: The Italian Restaurant in the heart of the city, features authentic Italian food with our resident Duo Stan and Alice who play your favourite songs and music. Experience a special dinner on candlelight with your favourite food cooked before you in real Italian ambience.

### SPORTS

Kuwait international
Fit for Life September brings a variety of sports classes and activities at the Kuwait International Hotel. Tennis coaching from October. Classes for ladies, juniors and seniors by Frank Novak - an experienced Canadian coach and tennis player. Enrollment on-going. Also fun tennis ses-sions for the family. Swimming classes from 17th September. Limited space available. Ballet classes will begin from 18th September. Coaching by Russian trained teacher. Enrollment on-going. Other classes are: Ladies' Keep Fit Classes, Men's Keep Fit Classes, Yoga. Judo, Karate and Tackwando. For details contact: Paul or

2533000. Messilah Beach Hotel A.S.A. Swimming classes for children/adults, beginners/int ermediate. Classes start Sept 23, 1989. For registration and details please contact Messilah Beach Hotel on 5624111 ext.

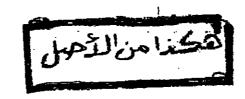
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739 or 751. WINDSURFING Classic Messilah Beach Hotel is organising a Windsurfing Classic on Oct 6, 1989. Open to all men and women sailors in Kuwait. Closing for entries is 1.10.89. For more details contact Ken Bahnan on 5624111 ext. 739/

Beach Hotel Tennis classes will be resuming beginning of October 89 for adults and children, to reserve a place phone 5624111 ext. 739/751. BALLET classes: Messilah

TENNIS classes: Messilah

Beach Hotel ballet classes for girls will be resuming late Sept 89, to reserve a place phone-562411 ext 739/751 562411 ext 739/751



الي مستديث كلي جس طرف مستاه مزاية ينفن أواز أرى فني الي مستندستان مي روير مرسيد وه كي كامود ماي ي كي دورة وازا يونك دك مي درايا تون الما مي ماي درايا

ادهر گهرش اس فاسسوت به در دو بری می بیان اما قدونون هے تو دشنوں نے آئی کر دھیا اور چونی بو وجو می چائیلاد کاواٹ پیدائر نے دانی می بدای بوت اگری نو کر کھالیالا چی اس چی کوشن دوائی هم کرلانے قلوی بیری

مر موجودی می این و کیادہ می سراید علی میں اندنی کامب سے آیاہ و بر تسمت دن تعاود الشریحون کے ایوات کو صد کی تعریف دنیج تھی اور جب دوریت سے دولی آئی کے صدری استداری انجو جینا کی جماری دن

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من عبد مورت على سي تحريف كالناشد

ب نذابست زياده مبالف آرائي سي كريز كريم اليسى

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الكتي فتي " - افي اس منياتي شامري كي بدولت جمال علام معطی میں اپنے ماتیوں می بے حدمقیل تے وال ما

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والك تحدوم وزائ ترب كدوران كا كن شامري في

شاب ادی جاسمتی جادر د و حرائی جاستی ہے۔ پاکستان دالی آگر اسول فالدورسی کچے مرمد قیام کیا

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شامام قردوی کے دو بڑار سے زا کداشفار زیانی یاد تھے۔

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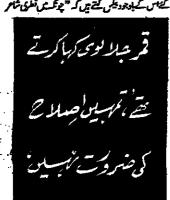
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التؤديوا جيعتميم ديرى نرتح يمركنا

الله مسلق يم كون كاول طنون كي ليد جالي يجانى ١٩٥٨ وي يكس فالقد الس كداس كيا وي مراك اسكول إبر عبول مخصيت بين وويك وقت كن وفي البحثول عن منازل عني مأنس ويتعلف لك اس وووان ان كه أوفي سکر رق کے فائش انجام دے رہے ہیں تی ایمنوں میں سمر مرمان ہی جدی دیں اور دہ باقاعیل کے ماتھ کمل و تمار عرص تك يد زِائق الجام و يع يس اور الكوه قائم من العقيب إن عماقه ماقد و كرات ما معاول بوے والی کی اجمنوں میں یہ فرائش ویے والے بین اس میں جی شرکت کر تھوے ان والی لیک معروف اول اید "كويت ين قائم بر فيولى بريم كي فواجل ول ب كسيل مشاوول على شركت كي دهيت محى و إكرت في الدييش سی میں سے موسی میں ہیں ہے مد میں سے میں ا محرال فی افرول کا فکری کی آجگے تی چی چیدہان کی رہائی کاونت آیات سی کمیسے میطودت میں محرال وجیل میں کاون آنا مجدور میں لیاد انہوں نے منت کرک اس کائیروی ول افزار ال کادون صاحب بر وشی نے اپنے سالی مقالدے متاثر کرنے کی کوشش می کرتے تھے۔ اب کلسان اجموں سے کے انجام دی ہیں "۔ چانچ وہ کی مفاوروں میں اکموان سے مواقد مرک بواکرے لیے ایک وسے تک ویت یہ اوب و کمتان آرٹ مرکل اور ان کے سای طائد کو یکس نے بھی و ای طور پر قبل حمیں ایک وات کا ملد مثار ریم ان کے سات کل ملد مثار ریم کیا۔ اس وقت کل مثل مسلق بیکس کو گوات کا مسلم شام اب می میکردی کی حقیقت سے مام کر رہے ہیں۔ ان مسلم کیا جاتا مام مسلق میں مثل و شام و اللہ ی طاق فی فی اور شعود شامری کان ساد الاشدی سے نمایا می کا کان اس اس اس بی کی سے جین ایا ۔ بیس کی اس کا کان اس میں اس کے اس میں اس کا کے اس کا کان اس کا کے اس کا ک مركر مين كالدوان كالشورس كاكاروبار بحى الجمافام مسترين أيري المتن أيكي في ايروه " أنسوي جاما بول

> وقت جب برلے و رشتے مجی بل کیتے میں لوگ كمرك ديامط ياع جاتى بي تقويري ك -1919 على النول في الك دود باكتان الير فوس كا المفتكسين معهوف بوكشا ١٩٣١ وشراتهول فالبيكثراتكس كي كنداس كرورو كراجي سمتعن كردي محجمل و باکتان ایر فدی کے مرور ایم بی ی معم رے۔ اس قام وسے ی دوب اور تین کل کوریز کرتے رہے اس



ين كيت اور ١٩٥٨ء على واس كاليونون كاليونون كاليونون من الدر الريانسي بول الريانسي بول الريانس تدروسكا - رايى ي ي آيام كدوران بيرى الا كات قالبا میں تھی۔ ہی سے بوانوں نے لیا شمل جور رتب وسے کی کوششی تروم کی اور اب والد کرتے ہی ک كى شاكر دى اختيار كرنى اوراكرجه استاد قرطالوي ميرا كامرد كم كركماكر تقت كرحبي املاح كاخروت تعرب مثائرے على انون تے وقول يو حماس كامطا تيس آن مجرجي عمان سے ابي عراق يراملان ليف على فرخوس را تھا۔ "ائے ورس کی مازمت کے دوان وہ اے ماتمين شارني جيت كوالي ي كالناب تو يكيكل أن لي عام طور عد قيد فاد يق - كن كلم الماني موجك كدو تي مجوع أمال ماني كر مك تصادر و فتری مید میدادی محلول علی اور دیگر بلسول عربا کور و بیشتر کامید بند مایس می کیا کرتے تھے۔ اساد قر فلام صفی یکس ایست بین کراس مشامر عش مسلی و جلادی کی شاگردی افتیار کرنے کے بعد میکس کی الماقیس مرحوم رئيس امرويوي اور تازش حيوري وفيره مصيعي ريخ لين - اس وقت تكييكس كراجي كروان يجاف ماعول س تارك مان همته

من کے علامت یا سان میں ایٹ اس کیا ہے۔ بداد ویر سون م منر کر کے پاکستان میٹی ہیں۔ ایٹ اس شول کی بددات ہ مشرق دستی کے علاق مشرق بعد کے بیشتر ممالک میں کا اور مشرق ایوب کے کشونکوں کی میر کر بیکے ہیں۔ غلام مصلی کئی کرچھاشعاریہ ہیں فروری مداون میکس کاتباد ایرفاکر بوگیا۔ اس وقت تک وباس کے طالات بحث بکر بچکے تصاور فرنس ای انتا کو يني بي تحس وهاك ين ان ولول وات كروقت بابرلكانا خطرے = فال د بواقعال لئے بیکن کی مرکرمیان بھی اپنے میں محسق محدود برکررہ کئن تھی ایسے احل می او الكمرتية فماوادبى مركرميل عدور موصف الستعد واك ك ريع تلف البارول اورسالول كواينا كلام بعيجا وال سندري سيد المسلم ا كرشتص بجلى ذركى كلهال تسيريمي كال تعاريك وت و فرا کی این می او کان کے ماتھ متبط کیلے عطا کیا گیا شیخ کا گر میں اور اس اور اس اور اس اور اس اور اس اور ا و حال کے مدور میں کی جی تیزی الے گئے اس تجرب کو او بھر ہر کمی کے باتھ میں چھر دیا گیا کرتے ہوئے غلام مسلق بھر کھتے ہیں۔ "مورواو کا پہلا مدن ہم نے درکتر میں قیدی کی حقیت سے دیکھا آئے۔ ٹیٹ کر علی آ سیخر بلال گا پر رکھنا خال مورور انعام الی کی مقد سے ایم لیے ہم لوگوں کو الدیاد کم ت چر تھ کو سمین کے مجی وسد کرد کی رہے ہیں لئے کے ہر الزام اپنی ذات ہے وصلہ کیس مجھی اگر عادا دکھا كالك يميش ماكيادال ايرفرى ادرويس ديره ك السائل ويو و آدل تق چودن كوف ويراس ك ومل بعددان وتدكى عمل ير الى اوريم لوك سكون اور آرام

مل رباب اور و پاکتان کے قوی انٹورنس کارپریشن میں " ک" کے ددے کل بچے تے " ورف رف فی باوقت کی ایک مینز صدر به می فارس جمره شامی می بدی با قاملی طرف بده رید متن این کایک قرل لیل و نماد کے ماقد ارت میں واس قد ارت میں کہ دوتی جوت میں شائی میں تھی جس کایک شعراس حقیقت کی خادی کرنا مثلن كرف كالأنى كلام اب مك بن جويظة بالكن يرب کو قلام مسطق کی کر قدق اوقات کی مراز میان مین اصل مین طار مسطق کی جس میشت داست به ماس کا تعر وشامری سددور کامی داسله مین تمی اوک اتر فوس ک

الم المستعدد والمستعدد المستعدد المستعد اس طرع كي اديد اور مائي مركز ميال جاري و كل تعقيل محتى في بطر موج مجع بال عن ورخوامت ويدي وور آباد عل كمنظام معطى يكي فياسية اوركرو يكيلا حي ين- اللقد ان كالتديد في وبوار الدوت يك يكي إس الامت ك معرونیات کیاجہ دان اولی اجمنوں کو کم طرن جات بارے میں زیادہ جیده دور رامید میں تے بھر جیدان کا مصارفیات سے باجہ دان اولی اجمنوں کو کم طرن جات بارے میں زیادہ جیده دور کار فیک کے لئے طلب کیا دجہ دورے دور میں کا مصاف تعلیم اجمال میں کہا ہے۔ اور اس طرف حید بوسے اور مجید کی کے ساتھ اپنی ياكتان شرديق بالكي محادث اور عاني كامول ك ك خاصد وقت مى ل جالم عبد اى كي شي ساء مادى ايدوانس ترفيك عمل ارى اور بحد اور احمالت وقيره ياس فعلت تهام وي بيراور أخده بحى انشاء الذا تجام ويتوبون فلام مسطق يكس كوشعروشاعرى كاشيق كباور كيم بوا

شاع تعاضي اور دومرے خود بھے بھی جنوان کی صد مک شعر کے کاشق میں توا"۔ اس کے بعد ۱۹۵۲ء میں برخرک کر کے چیل نے میدارہ کائی محرکت میں وافل لیارہ اس کے احل میں اعمد عمر کئے کام ق نا۔ کا کی میں بواجد فنل حمین اور بردیسر شریف محای محتے جنتی اسانی نے چی و صد اور فراک ان جادگیاں کی دواستان جستی کیس رون ویان اور شامری کے فی عام کے مطالعہ کا موقع اللہ کا نی میں قرمت ائیر کے طالب عظمی چیست سے وہ 14- کا نی میں کا فیمیکڑین کے طالب عظمی چیست سے وہ 14- کا میں کا فیمیکڑین کے اور دیکٹن کے استشن ایڈیٹر ش شركت كرت رين ين يكن كالي من آكريكي مرتب كى ١٩٦٣ عن امتاد قرطالوي سابوني لورس في الاحدان یدے مشاورے عی کی اعر کانجیٹ مشاورے عی زمیندار کانے کی تمائدگی کرتے ہوئے فزل پڑمی اس

> جس کی فاطر آج کمک آنبو پٹے جاتا بھل میں ع ينا اے ول مجى اس كو محى ياد آما بول على نمار " كانما كنده مجى موزود قعابش فيده فرل ان سے لے كر "ليل و نمار" من شاف كروادق اوداس طري بيطي دي مشاعرے میں بدھی جانے والی ان کی بدعول سی رمالے مس شائع بو فوالي بلي غزل مجين من على استهم كالي ت ميكرين من ان كا كام شائع بو خاتفااس التي اس يمل مطبور غزل برجال نسي كما جاسلات غلام معطق يكس إلى زمگی کے بارے عمر عالمتے ہوئے عربہ کھتے ہیں " " ميرب كم كالحل ادني نعين قفادر شاعري جحصورت ش میں فی ب والد صاحب الکوت پولیس میں ملازم مص ا والده صاحبہ کو میری شاعری پر کھی احتراض میں تفاہین والد ماحب كنفؤك كرته في كريمي من حمير وليس الميرين جابتا ہوں اور تم شاعری کے چگرش بزے ہوئے ہو۔ «الد صاحب سے بیرے استاد جناب شریف تنجابی کے دریعے عُ سُوا يا كم عن شاعري عد باز آجاول - شريف كنونتي صاحباس وتت محد عصداتي فرح والف بحى تصاور مرے شعر کنے یہ میری وصل افوائی بھی کرے رہے تھے ا انبول من يحديث توكون بات معلى أوالدصاحب كومجمايا ك آپ كايد يو يكو كرياب وال وكرى سد بدر حابح

بجمال آبات بحق كرناها بجين او شاعق كرك المس دودوس اشرت اوروونت كاسكاب السلفيد بیموه کردیائے کرنے ویں۔ شریف صاحبے اس منتظو کے بعد میرے والدنے ہمی پیشیت شاع چھے تھا کو لیا ''۔ اس منصوبہ کے تحت اوان فلیمت کے بخالف فرخ اور پہلیس ک مران وروك كارات وكم عالمان وكد در رفاري وك والسام في كالمان فازير مروكي كام رسيد عمال معمور كا ا رُسا دو وجب ام ان نے نگانہ کی کہ ام یک سنت صدر کے احدہ شمالے یہ تاہ امری برقاف ہ ترویت جاسی شد

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رات كادامن أجي إرق طرب نه بحواقة فتك بوأس بحي زياده تيونه تيس هم يقول م سابهت معاصل پراسرار يوريا قاقيم مين ڪورنيون ڪجيند کيا و مشھ ميايي زياده هني بويكل مح اوراى منسيقينب فن جاوراده ساوهم وجاء نو قرال رسده بقال ك بدن فاصي دور تك و كل منافي وسية رات كاس تصير مزا كان نويابتاميت وكندهاوية در فتول ك بعند سے تعوزت وصفي ورو معدي تيري طرف ارت قد اید وزهاس ورت و میت وقر مرا آرت بوسادكا كرانة ماقد تهذب وكيفيت شرامي قااس سفا تعنی بدا کدستی سے مفید ایس سر این برامت ما زیرا بین کرے کے بیات الاواداس بیت کے مراب وكاد ويحنى أوكانون كالأخبان بطفأ كمرجعنف الدهيرسيص كم يساليك فنحل بفيد منظره كجولها ورجب يدني قبرتار بو بعد من بیوه پورس میه دست مرات سام می است مین گان کاچوکیدار این میزندان بین نظیمی می موم به اقعاد ر با پاچر بهند که از چرب می کورب ایند فنش کی نظرین اب بهجی آده بی قرب مرابع می بودن قمیرد و آخری فیصد کرک قبل جانب بر مصلاکات بودن و قبر کوروز آنها ساسته کی یمی باب برسطان میں اور برافورد ایوات کے ان خواب پورٹ بوٹ محموس بوٹ آقیا کھڑت ہوئا اسے افکاد مشت بوٹی اور جمہودہ تم کی الائن تمان اسنیں افوائی تقو استان کی تامین عمل اور دوس اس میں افرات کا است الائرے کئی میں بنے در کے بادر تقام کے استان خوابی الائرے کئی میں بنے در کے بادر تقام کے استان خوابی

وہ تھی میں لینی اتھ میں سوئے کو گھر کی تھاہے اتھی چھ سیکنز کے لیے ساتس کے اور اپنے معرکوروائد ہوگی گاؤی پر اب عاندن ك جاورتن يحى حى اورجب بوا الليك جمو كاقب ستان ت گاول كى طرف ليكاتوس يوئ كن بدن س سنتابت سوس کرے اٹھ م<sup>خ</sup>شاور ہو: وجہ بھو <del>نکشے س</del>ٹھے جو کیوار سے بھی

وطن والبي كورة لناسدانمول ف كن كربر روز فاطر خواه تعدادش

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بعدان کی وقد میں کی واقع ہوئی ہے۔ امول نے کما کہ مکومت پاکستان ایران میں متم افغان اختصاد کی وطن وائی کی حوصل

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بيرى مُلومت كد بنماؤل في بياس امن تُنويش خابرى تى كد

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ئی سے مسترد کرتے ہوئے بند اسلطان سے کما کدائر اس اسکان س

لوني حميقت بوتي تواب تك ماست آقي بوتي انمول - كماك

اس عادیث میں مازات بوئے والوں کے درجاء کو معاوف ویت ک

معاللات جلدتي تمناه ين جائي سف أيك سوال ي جواب ين

سى فرو كدر تاكوه سيزار د سروب سعاد تدري ب آبم توقع ب

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۱۹۸۳ء مات مال کے نقطل کے بعد ارون اور معر کے ورمیان سفارتی تعلقات ۱۹۸۸ء برمایس سائ بے چینی کے دوران فوج نے رئیون میں بار ؛ افراد کولی مار دی۔

کرنسی کے نرخ کوچی ریزار کے مقاملے میں فیمر ملکی

ارنسيون كي قيت حسب ذيل ري-ياً سَتَانَى روكِ ( فَيَجَار ) ٢٠١٠ - ١١٠ بھارتی رویے (ٹی بڑار) ۱۸-۰۸۰ م بج بنی ریتار (فی نبرار) ۹۵۰–۸۰۰ (فيجار) ۲۱۳ - • فراسيسي فرائك (في زار) ۳۵-۳۳۰ امر کی دالر (فی بزار) ۸۰۰ - ۳۰۱ يرطانوي يؤونز (في برار) ١٨٠ - ١٣٧٨ جرمن مارك (في بنار) ١٥٢ - ١٥٢ لمارات ورجم (في ثرار) ١٨٠ - ٨٢ (فينزر) ٥٩٠ - ٩٨٧ (فریزار) ۱۳۰۰۳ (قَرْبُار) ۹۰۰ – ۱۷۱ موس فراتک سعودی ریال (فی بزار) ۵۰۰ – ۸۰

ريديويروكرام . و یہ افتتاحی اسایان او۔ کا تلاوت قران

قطري ريال (في فرار) ٩٥٠ - ٩٢

کریم وار نے بمترین قول ۱۲ نے پروکرام کا فلاصد عادي كان وسد عاميارول ك تراش مهر ع اسلام اور دور حاضر من ٨ خبين ۱۵ م آن كاا تخاب ۲۰ م گائے ۸-۲۵ وبی شکینے ۲۰۰ ۸ تارے معمان

'ويت بش مثيم" مهندر كاياني " زول ك مصنف فياض فلفر كايك جيمة ببوالمنته وفسائد



ے الل كر كاول كى كلى كرف جدد كى اس كاؤين اب بى بى كى ي دور بن سددوائيوں كم مائد وكي حلا وياقا المعمل برآجاتها م المنزيد بكزت الخد واليك هم ف أيواد مساره وبسمد ديو كي جب إس كاسروا فإن ليخ شأ وومرب بالخداج البينارين كوجهو كراس كالدريض وال سمول ترسنا می شاور باوجه بوت سنده میدارسدن موجه به سال به مراس سال سال سال می در در مدرس سهارستان به میساستان م پلت کر دیکها در بچر که نظر آن با در دارد و نظر کار می که نظر می که بازد و می در مین می بادر سند که به متناست می بود گیا دو پسل قرات کے معاوند نیاز در مالیاد در میلیا کر دیا او مین مینال کارون مینال کارون می مینال کارون می مدارا در مساکر اس کاماتی بن گیاادر دوباز فرف قرمتان سال مینال کارون مینال کارون مینال کارون مینال کارون مینال کارون کی مینال کارون مینال کارون مینال کارون مینال کارون مینال کارون کی مینال کارون کارون کارون کی مینال کارون کار

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جله تعلی کچری میں مقدمہ چلا یاجائے گا' بچل نے ایک مرتبہ بچربز آل کی دھمکی دیدی شهرس حربه وحوائے عموا - المرحم (الجنيز) كوليوان مقومت ف منهان في إساليك مركدي وعين في الله فديون كون إكر كولوبوث وممكى دس وى بيديكرة رحمسانياكيا تعول فتي بوسنواك أيد اخياد كساتك كمشيضت كالسياكي كالحريس ودراسيا فياستعناف جنگ على يزوني كالزام لكات وي كمات أن كاتحريس عربي بدعنوان عناصر موجود ميها كيك مراهادي زعلن كالمتايا وأكدور مسانيا فاقتریں۔ وزارت فارج کے تر عمان نے حرید کماکہ بارا تکومت كي لم فسست آن يحي مختف مقلات يونمن بم حاسك بوي جن \_ كربائق مايقى يرتمون كالمقعد باكتان عدافقان ماجرينك

تیج شرایک میای عاصد ابال بانگی کے مدد کے وقع و تصان میچانید ، هدود حمالی عمل ایک تحق و تی بواتر عمان خرجید و کر درگ مانیات ایک مسلم کردب نید ترشین شرک ایک معروف آزاد مدد بزاد کے میکر فری جال کے مضافق ملات ند آتش كرديث بابهمان مكامات من كوفي آدمي موجود مس قل ومت ای افات کیودیاسے چلی جائیں گی انسوں سے کھا کہ آر رہے سانوك إلى بيبروج وجهاله مارول ت الحاق فتم كروي والواقوق مفاصة كيفيايي مذاكرات يرتيارين انمول ساس مركايمي

فدشد فابركياك بغيركاس محلب شكويت الي فيجل كي وانبى كبعد خاند بتلى ك خات كالوني المكان نسي . معسی ۱۰۰ سیخونی کوریا كَ لَكَ تَرْ عَلَنَ فَ إِمَا فَهِ مَنْ الشَّالِي وَأَمْرِ فَ يُوفِي قَالُونَ قَالِ

سند مقبوضه علاتے

عصين والخاهنية المير

﴿ يَقِينَتَ بَشْقِيلَ مَنْ أُورِ اللهِ مِنْ إِبْرَاقَ عِلْمَا مُواتَى وَفُوا مَشْرِيلَ }

الجنمي كم مطابق المول مث كنت ك اخبر الزنيا وستدائم وويس مد

العلقات على متحكم ووي شي ورت كاليداخيدك ماب كد ومق

الكالم اللي تفي وفدا تضاو ويت تاويره ريد وجس ومتعمد واز

إ والبين يدارات كالنسل ومراهنا بدائرات التي المنات الي

الم مفير . أثناء لأما

النظال في وفواش كي سروزوم عرف ورسيرو يدوم والميك

و منطقه في من الميني مناق شاور الدين بغرور

كرانتي هندت آمير كرورو والل ت دونول مَنول كروميان

بيكوني كه منام كواس ام يت جمي آلكورينا جائب كدان كي أس في آباد في متاها هستدينا مدجودين الثاء معمل اس تبويزيا ساليي

مشن الما المراهم عمير مسلمان من جذبات اليد منه جر بواب المحيط مكومت عن اخلافات الاجمان جي زورون برسيد واز القم

الفتل مشاور دواره سيكورني كمسال فاسامة أرة بإب كاواضح لأشامير مضوبه كي فالنسة أررب بين بتبدا فتذار مثل شال أيبريا بف

متارية مواللي وتعدد وين الام كالملاف المات الاستان

تدمت كي تقى دوراموان أور برطاميات منارتي تفقلت جي رتكري

تازية وبالم معلق وك في الان كم حمر وماني بنما

آنت الفرطيخ في طرف من سلمان رشدي كوم ترة الروسية بوت

كَ شِيعً وَمُن مِنْ جَلِولِكَ فَرَت يَدَى طور بِرَد كَ شِيعً وَمُن مِنْ جَلِولِكَ فَرَت مِن عَلَيْهِ اللهِ عَلَيْهِ اللهِ عَلَيْهِ اللهِ عَلَيْهِ اللهِ عَلَيْهِ ا

تعبيمي شبيسن فاخركزوه كياب مبهم فاءوا مفان الربت فا

ت كريه هادية مفلت الإوالي اور هافلي ألات فلدا سمال ك

مب وق إن ياد رث كذشة الان يل يس وال الأن يل

الداوية كرسفيري ربوت من الاين تتراس طرف جي اثار وأياك

كميوة وأك كانست من موك ميد افريق فين مين جي الراسان ك

مطابق الينا عليفون في الداوية مره منه كاله والحقي من فين مواين

التي افتار ماعل أرف كافران المهدوم إجابه مردن أي

العلامة أرغب مشوكرا والميناس وفول وزرأت فأرجب ليرتان

عرامته والمتراث ستدوقت بندق الرائع على وغزاول والبائي فا

عين سنايتيان اور مغملي ممانسات التي ورج أساء أنهوا ويمل

الية عنيفال في في الدائرية وسنساء مديرة كام بين واليد يل كالقرنس من أخاب أرث بوسالهون من أماك أوروز بعد

وهاكت ما الم اسافاه بال يو محتق

عصر الموائع

سوويت آتشزوني

ديي بوك كماك أمن ك تحت م الدى الديمن وين تخيل وي يا حجلق مظام ب كرفيك مجاز نسس بي - ساى درائع كأرمت کہ اسانیا کی قبل ہوئیں تھکیل دینے کے بعد علومت نے سینجورں م كرم يوني وبتماول كوطاز من سے ير فواست كر ويات اليد ئيات ابتدائي توري فروسه شيل بوگائين جلدي خواهندي وت سنتي ساور ۱۹۹ کي نيريس اکن پاياتونه عل مرت کايا انجامي که ب ورجن مركفاف مخلف الوالمت كالمحت مقدات ورق كناك تي اساندوي ونين ڪريميون ساهير نويون و تدو که تعيي تھے سی جموری اصلاحات کے اعلان تحد دو اٹی جدوجہ بدری معمل کے خور مل اواروں کے مطابق جاروں ھنہ اسے 131. ا المالكة كي عليت على الماس ك يايات ك أيط المان يا

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ين إلى دوم بن كواتي طرف زياده مأسّ به

کرم بائیں گے کو توہوں سے تھرانے کی بجلے اسے قبل کرتے اوش فتی راتھ اور کری

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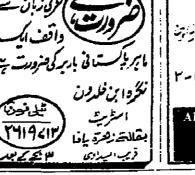
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بھی کریں دومروں سے توقع نہ رکھیں

أربر كام بهترن طريقه يربوكا



متفر تعحت تيل اسمكل كريف فير ده رافرادت يوجيد كجد ا عن ١٠٠٠ م حمر و ١١ م ١٠ رون يل ١٥٥ افار و ١٥ يم بهو ب المال وأيالية بن مع المسافرون بل المثل اً المنابرة أوات أرث والبافية الأياليات والاستادة المالية المنابق المنابق المنابق المنابق المنابق المنابق المن ويمن شاه المنابق والمن كالرائع المنابق المنابق المنابق المنابق المنابقة المنابقة المنابقة المنابقة المنابقة ال









د کرن کو کرس ال کمینی سے فراکت فتح کر پیکا ہوں ين انشارالة عنقرب مجمع المسواق مراب بالمقابل منفات بوست أفن من بني كنيتر مروس تروع كرف والا بول• بلانگ منحل بوجي سے - بجلي كاكتشن طبق بي - تاريخ افتتاح كااعلان كياجاتكا • اليس اليف اليس كاولورنشين الجمرة مرد لا برد إكستان كاندات ( فاركو بيندُن ، مُنرِس ) ما مل كرن كرخوابشند ميرا أص كين كا انتظار كري -• شينك، ذاكرمينيس اوركنتينرمروس كالجرب ركف والدستان كى مزوت ب

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- بوقابل تبديل اقامه ركفته بون \_\_\_\_

لخے ہیں مراہش الکر لیں ۔ ، ع وش میں ان کی ذات کے اعد مجے برے جن دوستوں کے ہاتھ میں مجولیں کے ہار ہیں ان کی بی آخن بی مجر مم بدخ

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اندن - مستمر (اليخبيز) رسوات زاند برطافق اول نكار

سلمان رشدی کی د وم کتاب شیطانی آیات کے ناشر کی طرف سے

كلب كاستا أيديش شائع كرفى اخيارى اطلاعات ك بعد

برطانيصاس متازد كاب كبارت من ايك مرتب بحث عل في عد طانوي اخير آيزور في آن كا الثامت عي سخو الل ي

ایک ربورث شائع کی ب جس کے مطابق سلمان رشون کی فراوم کماب کی اثر اوار سیوانگی چونن کے دعام و زیاد کر مسلمانول

ی طرف سے احتجان کے باوجود آئدہ موسم مرمامیں سستاا فیریشن

شاقع کرے مصوب بدی کررے میں اہم اس ادارے سے میشر

أبزرور كاطلاع كرديدك باورتاياب كسفموم كاب فاست

ايريش مُلك كرت كايمي مك كولى فيعلد منس كيا كياسند عنا نسر

ت مطابق بير تش ي كماك آيزروري اطال فود ان ك في

الكريكو كليرير كلن ك حوال سه اخيار مندب النسز

### على حضرت امير كيليئة عراق كالعلى ترين اعز از تصدام سے مذا كرات كادوسرا دور

العراق الراونية كأم برانون ق بات وبية ما قائم قازع الله يتح شرية بالدواجية كالباري الين رمغمان

بغواد - ۱۲ مر تمبر (اب) انگ حفرت امیر کون شخ جایر 🏻 کی پیرٹ کے مطابق اللی محترت امیر کردے نے مواقی کے ساتھ پنے 📗 دور بھی کیا۔ اس موتع پر براتی احترافیہ مثن کے مرزاد اور دزیر اوقاف دنتا امر مرافة فقل مى أن كمراه تصر مراق كي مر کاری فیرد مل ایجنی کے مطابق مواق کے اب رزیرا طریاسین دمفان کے کمات کے کویت اور عراق کے مربر ابال کے

مك كى عمليت كالعاده كيايو كويت كياس تحين كى الميند واربيركم مودن کی حول لکسید املی صورت امیر کست آج مواق کے دوليل وبتمالل في آخ في أكرات كاودمرا وود منعقد كما جن على المجمول والمحين والمراه والم والمراه والمراه والمراه والمراع

الاحد الجائر العبارح كوجوان وأول عراق كے دورے يريس مدر مدام حسين فلك كاعلى زين ايدرورا فيدين ميذل وياور الحر مالد مليجي بگلسے دوران ان يحظ كى حليت كا حريد اواكيا ا وور عد كدوم يدن كمام سابق ك وار ير جوال كى جادر تعلقات اور علاق کی صورت حال در فور ائے مرکاری کی درون ( فر مقدم کیا انہوں فرق کی محراب اور بنداد کے واح مااقیل کا



وفی مار میر (ایکنیز) مدرت کی مقال کیلی دائی کی دائی کی اس ادارے کے معالی میں اور دیکھیلی اداریل کے اعلی معروف بین ان اف کی کے لیک اور طارے وارکا کی اور داریل کے اعلی معروف بین ان اور ان کی معامل میں میں معامل میں معامل میں معامل میں معامل میں معامل میں معامل میں میں معامل میں تے ڈاونیٹر طیارہ مقرلی فرمن کا عاموا ہے۔ پرلس ٹرسٹ آف الليلة بمائر كالنائد يركوا في عايا ے وی و اسانی النب محکزے تھوے ہوئے ہو کا کھیل اور ۳۰ فیط فوطیارے کے سلے اور انساقی الاشوں کے تھوے ہوئے اصفاہ کوئی کرنے کے کام ش معروف ہیں بتایا گیا ہے کہ حالیہ وفیل عم اخبارات ہی ویمیوت کمجنی کے طیاروں کی خواب مور تحال پر تقدیر کرتے ہے

كويت كابينه كأاجلاس

کلیند ۲۳ رستر (کوا) کت کایند سکلیدا جاس ش ابو گائم مثل در انظم دور مادجه شمه با الاس کادر مدارسه وا گلف امو کاجائزد لیا کید وزیر مشعبه بندگا او کائم مثام دور واستداعامد كايت واكرعدار على الوسى فياولاس يعقا إكدندا ففاطل معرت ايركدوره عراق كدثت بهلوى

ما مستوری و رسید می استوری مردن ما موده و استان می استان اعم انطاع المكاكر وقعت طارع عن موز قدام معافر المدنى المرقب بريس ومن آف اغوارة ويدا كردون على المرافق المرافق ا المحمد عند وجد عدد كاو جدب عمد من ومن آف الرفا المستحد وجد عالم من المرافق المرافق المرافق المرافق المرافق الم

ار شعال ذاع من كركه جاد او كيا يس كر تيم من عيار سيس المنظر كري او كان ميت السافرياك بوكند فعالى كمني المنظام فاس مادت علياك بوقواليل كمام تس يتاع

كيا مدر حق مازك امزيك سكدن عالى حوات كوتون

امريك من جارج يش ك علاده اسرائيلي و بنماؤل في قبل الني اس تجادير ببادله خيال مو كا كابد- ١١٦ ممر (دائز) معرك مدد حق ماذك الكل المرت تعي دكار مد مادك النابيل كالمعتاف مي معتدده والريك سي الي السلنيل كمام مال في كرواك ك والرائل كے مائد اس ذاكرات بن شوك و يكے بين اس كا کے مالن اس خالوات میں تو کہ ویکے ہوں اس کا ہو گا اس کی مدر جلہ عالی اور اس کی درجہ موشے امر زوادد اس پوسٹ میں آج کی اضاعت میں کیا۔ قابل میں اس پوسٹ میں آج کی اضاعت میں کیا۔ قابل میں اس کا اس کی کیار دھموں میں درجہ کا تھا کہ کریں گ ذي تسلامتمي كارساد فودس الكاب كرفي مع كملن عمراتي كسير المول فاس مبال كلوب الكث عم ویا کردد اسر کی مدر بارج بن ایر اسرائل دیدان کوعرات ک

وصاست مطل كرس سكر المول المانطن ببرث كمتا إكده جن عسنيل كمام الريك كواليميل عدا كرات كم شركاء كرفيري الروات كوليل إلى اليساق الدوس التياد كل لويت يونورش كوظيفه كركئ بأكتاني بجول سے در خواسیں

ريان الماري الما عم النائيل كري سنور واستن النب كراي جنول في تزمينت كالحك عماه المعداء والدقبرماص كلتاول-در ذا سنی مدر فقل اور تنی آن ترین تعاویر کے مراوہ جستم ١٩٨٨ مك فرست ميكرزي سناد كالله ياكتان كو يلى كراسة ك التي كما كياب كويت وفيدى من تعليم حاصل كرف كم التي وفيذ كومت كويت كي فرف من وياجا كسب

اسلام آباد سام حمر (آب) كده عاليد كم طلعة على موم إ عليد كي الأرشي كي أن ي كي كاير عليد الآم محد كادارول وماكار تظيول اور ياكتان وعادت كاسطيافان اسية قدام ترومال ك مات الاجراد من كل كام يازى علاق محلومارا فالحص وظام المن من المناسل ما الماري كالمناسل ما الماري كالمناس كالم كمسافرول كي دشته وارول سيت جزارول افراد النان وشوار كمانيون ش طيارے كى على شرور دى اور عاش كى اس مم تروقی سب یوی م قرار دیاسکے کین ان بازیل نے طیرے کوساقیل سبت کل لیا طیارے کے قوا کے امکان کا

ول کی شدید دفیاری کے آغاز کی دیدے اس میالی سلطین كرشون ١٠١٨ كن كوام وسرا ويل ميت الدو مومل فيوا في ال المناب وكرميا سائل في كالمعام المعاملة المالية كروه كي ال مر الري عام كوفين مية كان منافر الي مر الري عام كوفين يم كوكر بياروا بساواب تكساس كهي موضع ف يرديكي على مركوب سياب تكساس كالأمراع عن ل ملا في ال ارك تر على عزدا فعلى في اخبر الدول كوالما كر شويد برق بدى كاددى دادى عدل كيل كام والمركمة عامكن بالدا ال مول كاركان كيوني تروع يوكل بيد يادد بياس اليد

افغان وارالحکومت کی رنجوم مار کیده پر راکٹ حملے ، ویورافراویا

مدرمبارك كے سابی مشیراورامر كی سفيرمين زاكرات

قابرہ - ۲۲ متر (کیا) معرے مدد کے سائ امورے ودوااتر كمثر اساسالهاز في صدر حتى مبادك يح حقق ودوام ك كم من البروال الركى خرفه كالمدند فريسانا المسكى الكريم كافرنى سے خطاب كرتے ہوئے انہوں نے كماك مدد مارك كا وورام مكوفرانس ليك فسومي ابيت كامال ب كريد لمان يس آیام امن کے لئے عرب مدفری کمین اور عالمی المیاتی فنزے معرکے وأكرات كالناه عمل من آدباب الميل سفتا ياكر ملام ذك کی فرانس اور امریکہ کے مریرا ہوں سے زاکر است میں اس تعلقات لیتان کا کوائ کار شرق و سی بی براس کے لئے بدور کو فروغ در بی سیک فرائح زیم فور آئی گ

ایل ۱۴ محمر (ایکنیز) افعان دارا فکومت کی برجوم | سکرداک جلدی کومالد دنوں می فرایم کیا گیاہی۔ اسول کے ركيت بل محتي رعلدين كراكث تف كريج ش معافراد الوام كان كرجلين ماليرونين كراكث ملون عن من ماعت باک اور ۲۵ آئی ہو گے۔ یہ باستان دارت فارد کے کہنا تبدید ترجام کی بکران کلسٹو بہاستال کردہ ہیں تر عمل کوئی کال نے کرج مال افزاد فیصل کھائی۔ انساب نے کاکہ گزشت مذال کھی بار کھی بار کھیا بلد اور اور کا مساحت کا

ئىيوۋىيائے متھار ب فريقون ئى فوق الدا دېند ئىر دىيىغ كافيصلىد

على مجى اس اقدام يرعمل كرے كا سويد وامر كي وزرائے فارجد كامشترك اعلاميد کدیں کے اس امر کا اطلان سویت وزیر قدج ایشدہ ا شید نظرے اور امری وزیر فرج بیدر نکر کے ایکن و ورد انداز کی ایکنایم دونی فرقان نے کمیڈیائن اسے طیفوں کی فک

بسمها للتحالطنك الرميم

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اورتك زيب بث منتظم اعلى كلتان ريستورنك كي سينكرون ساتهيون سميت پيلز كلب من شموليت

گلتان ریشورن کی انظامیر کے سریراه جناب اورنگ زیب بث اور جناب الیاس خان جدون عرف بول خال ۲۱ رستمبرجعرات كواية سينكرول ساتحيول سميت حاجي محرافضل نور مدر كلب كي قيادت يراعماد كرتيهو يغير مشروط طورير يبيلز كلب بس شموليت كالعلان كياسيرو قار تقريب حاجي محرافضل ورصدر کلی کی رہائش گاہ واقع مشرف میں منعقد ہوئی ، جس میں ہر حلقہ کے عمد بدار موجود تھے۔ جناب اور نگ زيب بث ق وقى كاظهار كرتے ہوئے يہ اعلان كياكہ جم حالى جم افضل نور كے ديريند دوست بن اور الشاء الله أكده مي ان كاساته دي محد اس اعلان يرشر كاء اجلاس في ومنى كالمار كرتي وي جناب اورتك زيب بث اوران كے ساتھيوں كاشكريداواكيا۔ آخر برصدر كلب جناب حاجي محمد افضل نور في ما من كاشكريد اداكيا ، جنول في خلصانه طور بريتيلز كلب كے لئے ان كران قدر خدمات بيش

تج ير تخريب كارى كرنے والے كوسزائے موت كاسامنا كرنا يرايگا 'شاہ زائرین کونقصان پنجانےوالول پراللدے قانون کانفاذ کیاجائیگا

> سعودي فرمانروا كلديران جرائد كمنام كمتيب من تبعره کیاے ۲۳ رقم (رائع) سوری دو کے فراز داشاہ فدنے اے کر جو کیا جی کھ انکور میں تے کے موقع و ترب کاری کی دھی کے موقع و ترب کاری سودی فررس ایجی کے موقع و ترب کاری اس کرے گااے افد کے قانوں کے معاقل مرت کی سزائی اور کاری سودی کی جواب میں کیا جوانس کے موالی عمل لیٹ ما على انول فدران جائد كام كتب على كماكه ممكت معدد بركى براف ك تافق كافقة كرك كى جس كى دع ا

ايراني مفيركي مدر رنسجان سے ملاقات تمان - ٢٣. متم ( أمًا) كومَ سكن ايلاً كان عند مذ

مران - ۱۲۳ مرا و) مرسست بيات بران مرسست بيات بيات بيان مرسست بيان عرصدما في الفيال عادا قات المستنان کا- ریدیو سران کی اطلاع کے مطابق صدر رنسجانی نے فلیج عرب ك ممالك كم مائد ووستد تعلقات أواستكام دين كاليمت بدور ويا ب والمنطاق ف اس اميد فاظهد الماكد كون ك ع ت سفي دوستار تعلقات كيام من ليك مناسب بليث قارم عناش كرن

پيرس مين كويق ثقافتي ميله

یی سام مقبر (کونا) میس کامشیر جاری بوس علاقہ گزشتہ شام کوئی میدش تبریل ہوگیا جس سے کو سے کی دون گروپ اور الاسمی فرمیسے کوئی کرے اور دھی بیٹی کے۔ اس موضع ہر فرامسی اور فیر کی افزار کائلے جم خوا کھا ہو کیا تھا کوے سی وى كروب اور اسرى تروب في كوت كاروا في لياس يمن ركما تمان اوت کارچ امرائے اور روائی کے گئے بوسیلو عل داخل معند کون کے کہت عمیت محلوظ موکر جوم نے الیاں ن الدرقس كرنے ملك بومبيدو كابداعلاقه كوچي كيت ے کونے افوا کونی فن کارول نے ایک محتدے زائد عرمہ عكد وكول كواب أن من كلوة كيان جريعة ويرو كرامان الله والك



القدس ش بوليس بارني پربرول بم حمله اسمرائيلي مخلوط حكومت من بحران شدت اختيار كر كميا القدى - ٢٣٠ حمر (دائع) متوف وب عالد فو في على الك خاص الدائد كوفو في بينها فلسلين بدند ديات كد يا في فلسلين في كسكوار كرك م معتبر في كوميت الدوني الأن يذكر دى جائد ساخة كالتي يداركان ادر تحريك في قيادت كريام بد انهول في قسطينيول عليك جان لك قلب ك طور سحد موفى كاكل ك- القدى يربلب الدمش کے قریب پیلس کی لیک گاڑی پر بڑول م پینگا کیا جس سے کوئی تصفیق میں معالدور می کوئی ذمی ہوا۔ مقوض معرفی کنارے کے شرويت مادود على تيس مكام في آن جوت ودر مجى ان لوكول كى الماك منيا كرت كاسلامادى ركماجنون فامرائلي تسلاك ظاف حفاماتكسول كالتكاث كرركماب وجيول ياتكس كام ك خااف يحيط اكس او سدالگار جاري السطيني احجاجي تحريك من ے ماتھ محروں میں تمس كر لوگوں كے تيل درين سيف اور ديد او

ملحقه شهری علاقوں پر گولوں کی بارش 'متعدد عمار توں کو نقصان پہنچا

زخی فوجیوں کومیتال پیچادیا مورت عال قابوش ہے سوء حکام

لندن- ١٩٨ متم (الجنسز) مأبيرا كم طلبة على موت من كل كراب فطره عمل طور بل كما ب رفي يدن تاياك ودنول

ناس ماوے کی اسا کا کو رقس کیا آیم بیتا اکداب مور تمال این کی بیان مند کر جار قبلوں میں مذکلی بنیس مند بر کیا کیک محل طدی تاویہ بسیاد خطرے کی کو ایت میں دیئر ہے مطابق محوظ مقلت پر پہنچاے محصافر والی اپنے محرول میں آمھیں ا

فلمائن میں ناجائزا سلح کی سمکنگ کے فوری مذارک کامطال ایک

اس ملک میں موجود ناجائز اسلیمسلم افواج کے ذخائرے کمیں ذیادہ ہے سینز الادیز

خيا٢٠١ ومتمر (ايختيز) دوال مال كودوان ايديان ككسب إب حد منافع بنش كاردار بن يفاسب اور مكارب ووسن كوبعي

کوئے فیمک ماتیں ہی کرے لین ان جی آکڑ کوئے ہیے۔ میں

سے بس کی وجہ سے جاتی فقیان ضی بواریڈیو کے مطابق اسلی ایو

کے ملحقہ آبادی میں متحدد مکانین و کانوں اور سکولوں کی فرار ہاں

قبرص میں ہیروئن کا سمگلر کر فآر

ادناك - ١٢٥ متم (اب) قرص مكام في اينان كي ايك

فيرى بوث سه آن وال سافرك قيد سه دو كلو كرام بيروس

ر المار كا مد كر فقد كر ليايرون جي كاليت از حاني المين ال

بندوقل كم تق جوات بن اسول فعيد مراكبوت مطالب

كياكداس فطرناك مورت مال كمتدارك كيلغ فوى فارواني في

جلت انسول في كما كدهك يعرض برس كافراد عمد الحد كف ا

ريخان تطرفاك مدتك بزيد كياب ادحرظيائ كاسلحاناج

مے مرواہ جنل ریالتو نے اعتراف کیا ہے کہ حالیہ ونوں میں

مرکاری فدمز کو کیونسٹ باغیوں کے طائف کارروانی می پیائی

حمیار کرنا یزی ہے۔ انہوں نے بریکیڈوز کمانڈروں کے اجلاس میں

سلمانون کی اکای پر روشی والے موے کما کہ مرتبط بنوں س

بالشب مستح الواج كو تفعان الحامان الباب جس كاسب فير مروري

خطرات مول لیما اور مقلت ولایدائ عب مسل اناج کے لیک تر عَلَن كِمَالِق الرول في يُمِينُونَ كَاعْدُول ير زود و إك وواتي

انظای اور آبریشل استعدادی اساف کری انول نے حرد کماک

کیونسٹ چھاکیہ ادول کے قلاف آپریشن میں ٹی سیل ملیشا بھی

بيداواري نئ تجاويزيرا ختلاف

مِنْیوا - ۱۳ رحم (رائغ)ادیک کے وزرائے تیل میں جن کا

اجلاس کوشته و درجنیوایس شروع بواقیتول اور بیداوار سے متعلق نی

آخری مسائی میں عل کی پیداوار بدهانے کی تجویرے معال تی

اخافه تبتول ترامند كدخان كام دسين مككب

فلب ہا تی قسطینوں نے اوکے کوار کر کے م منتز جم کومرت کے کھٹ آدو ایک تھیم آزادی قسطین کر جمالیام عرفت مغيوضه علاقول ميس حووال سكود ميان خوفريزي ينزكر سفركه اييل كي ب- بہتال كے كام كے مطابق ١٦ مالد الموافواتى ير تماركر ف العاقل الدوكون عصم تعد مجرى كشرص كذشتين روزش بلاكت كايرج قعادا قع بيد أيك امرائطي فوق تر عمان ف

سورت جمسورية كرائن شروسي ترخود مختاري كميلنة فاللها فيدالاجلوس جس شراقر يأوس بزار قيم يرست شرك بوئ

ا ریدی اسکوی فشرات سے حوالے سے کیا۔ برطانوی اوارے کے

مطابق مسلوانوج في عاى اور رقام المحقد علاقيل عيد الم

زائد افراد کو تحقیظ مقللت پر پہنچا دیا۔ آئم ریم یو اسکو ف اس حادث میں کمی شری کے لماک بونے کی اطلاع تیس دی اور کماک

چدز فی وجین کوفری طدر بهال بیجاریاتن سے بینی شدید آش دو کی کارویت مل می تقد فیل می سے مطاق دفیواسکو ناس مادی کی آمنا کاور تعمیل کیا آئم سینا یا کداب مور تعمال

مبرارے ذائد بندونی قلیات ممل کی بی اور مک بی بغیر الشش کے اسلحد کے دالوں کی تعواد سلح الواق سے کسی زیادہ

ہان خیالات کا طمار مینٹ کے کن ہیر من الاور نے اپنے لیک اعربی می امیرانے کما کہ ملک می فیر کل اسل ممکل کرنے ک

فوفاک امرکورو کے کیلے انسول نے بیٹ س اسلے کے مظرول

او عرقه کی مزاوینے معلق ویل بیش کیا ہاس کی منظوری ہے

اس فوفاک لرکور کامیا مکلے انہوں نے کماکر اسلح کی سکانگ

فرانسیی طبارے کے ۲۰۰ بدقسمت

مسأفرول كالشيل بيرس ببنج كئيل

ي ٢٠ ، حر (ى ب ١) أوازيقه كايك ملهن بواديد ي

در مید کرشت دنول نائیو کے محواش بیاه بونے والے فرانسی مسافر طیارے کے ادا بدقست سافروں شرسے معافراد کی ادشی

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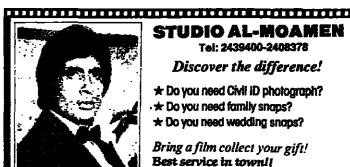
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**FOLF** 

BUENA PARK, Calif., Sept 24, (Reuter): Pamela Wright of Britain made a birdie charge of the back nine yesterday to take a one-stroke lead going into the final round of the \$300,000 LPGA tournament at Los Coyotes Country Club.

Wright, who began the day one stroke off the pace, posted four birdies on the inward half to record a five-under-par 67 for a 10-under 206 total.

One stroke behind were Nancy Lopez and Rosie Jones, who both fired 65s to move into con-

"I think my chances are as good as anybody's, Wright said with an eye towards the \$45,000 first prize. "I really am excited about my position. I look forward to playing with Nancy. I was nervous enough today that it got the adrenalin going - so it was a good nervous.

Wright, a 25-year-old from Scotland, bogeyed the third hole but bounced back with birdies at seven and eight to make the turn at one under par. Birdies at 10, 15, 16 and 17 gave her the lead. Jones birdied five of her first six holes in a round which

"I came out of the box really hot today," Jones said. "This is by far my best round of the

featured nine birdies and two

Lopez started the day with eight consecutive pars before getting into some serious scoring. She birdied three straight from the ninth and added an eagle and two more birdies as she toured the final nine in 30 for her 65.

"I made everything that was even close to the hole today," said Lopez. "I feel real good about the way I am stroking my putts and my swing feels real good too."

Two shots back of Wright was Cindy Rarick, who had shared the overnight lead with Amy Alcott and Pat Bradley. Alcott and Bradley were at 211, five behind Wright, after shooting

### Krickstein upsets Gilbert

## Wright hits birdies for Changedges Davis and Seles advance to



Gomez triumphs

Andres Gomez of Ecuador celebrates his victory over world number one Ivan Lendt after their semifinal match of the Spanish Open tennis tournament on Saturday. Gomez won 1-67-69-7. (Reuter wirephoto).

LOS ANGELES, Sept 24, (UPI): Top-seeded Michael Chang defeated Scott Davis 6-4, 6-4 and No. 5 Aaron Krickstein saved seven match points to rally past Brad Gilbert, the second seed, 1-6, 7-6, (7-0), 6-2 yesterday to move into the final of the \$425,000 Volvo Tennis/Los

Angeles.
The 17-year-old Chang, the French Open champion, gunning for his third career title, was to meet Krickstein this evening for the championship and the winner's cheque of \$59,000.

Both sets were really close," said the No. 6-ranked Chang of the straight-sets victory. "He missed a couple of key volleys, and I think that was the difference."

Chang, who like Krickstein has yet to lose a set in getting through four opponents, said his serve aided him today. "I think I served exceptionally well. I thought it belped me out

throughout the match," Chang said.

Gilbert, 29, ranked No 7 in the world, combined a steady baseline game with aggressive net play that kept Krickstein off-balance throughout the first half of the match.

Gilbert easily won the first set and raced to a 5-2 lead but could not close out the match. Serving at 5-4, he squandered four match points. Krickstein then fought off three more match points in the next game to hold and level

Back-to-back breaks forced a tiebreaker, which Krickstein won reeling off seven straight points.

Gilbert's game collapsed in the third set as the momentum continued on Krickstein's side. Krickstein held a 3-2 lead in the deciding set as he and Gilbert traded

service breaks in the fourth and fifth games.

Krickstein broke again in the sixth game and completed the come-from-behind victory with a final break in the eighth game.

"I never thought I was out of the match, even when I was down, 6-1, 4-1, admitted Krickstein, vying for his second title of the year and sixth

"I was one point, one shot, one miss away from losing. I'm serving terrible and I'm in the final," said Krickstein.

Gilbert offered no excuses about the collapse. "It's an Adam's apple, a gift more than anything else. I was in good

shape. But it all went for nothing," he said. "I gave him a second life. I should ve had the match won long before Gilbert said. "I was playing aggressive and patient to get to that point. I was up 6-1, 5-2 and became unravelled and squandered several opportunities. I should've had more patience.'

Davis, ranked No. 57 in the world, repeatedly charged the net throughout the match, trying to put away volleys rather than duel Chang from the baseline.

## **Navratilova** and Seles **Dallas final**

DALLAS, Sept 24, (Reuter): Top-seeded Martina Navratilova and 15-year-old Monica Seles of Yugoslavia scored semifinal \$250,000 Dallas Women's Tennis Champion-

Navratilova outplayed third seed Manuela Maleeva of Bulgaria 6-2 6-3, while Seles eliminated American Anne Smith 6-1 6-2 to reach her second final in nine tournaments as a professional.

The 32-year-old Navratilova will be going for a ninth Dallas title. She won her first in 1979 when Seles was five years old.

Seles is unbeaten in championship matches — she defeated Chris Evert last spring in Houston to win her first pro title.

Navratilova, who blitzed Maleeva 6-0 6-0 in the quarter-finals at the US Open, said she was satisfied with her play against the crafty baseliner. Except for the first time when

I lost my serve and one other game, I was very happy. I got a high percentage of first serves in and was mixing it up quite well. I didn't let her returns bother me," said Navratilova, the world number two.

Maleeva, seventh in the world. played consistently from the baseline and served well in the first set but could not handle Navratilova's carefully chosen

trips to the net.
Navratilova slipped behind 13 in the second set but swept the
last five games of the match.
Seles, ranked 10th, slugged her

two-handed service returns past the agressive Smith, who tried unsuccessfully to win points at the net against the hard-hitting Yugoslav.

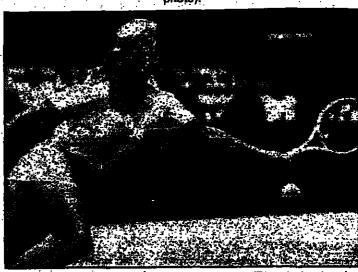
Maleeva said her cold was better yesterday than 24 hours earlier when she was drained after a quarterfinal win over Raffaella Reggi. "I was running well today,"

Maleeva said. "I was serving well and hitting well the ball, and I felt good on the court." Maleeva hit three return win-

ners and scored five points. against serve with passing shots, but that weren't nearly enough to beat Navratilova, who won her



Seles grimaces as she smashes a backhand to Smith. (Reuter wire-



Navratilova lunges after a volley from Maleeva. (Reuter wirephoto)

45 consecutive match in this tournament, dating back to

"You cannot give one little chance of a short ball. She comes in as soon as the ball is two inches shorter than it should be." Maleeva said.

"I missed a big opportunity in the second set," Maleeva added. "If I would have won it, it would have gotten very close."

Seles, the tournament's fifth seed, will face Navratilova for the first time in the championship game, and Navratilova said she will have to adjust for the unusual grunting noises that highlight the teenager's playing

"I know she is very noisy," Navratilova said. "I'm just going to have to concentrate on the ball and try not to let it bother me. I never heard anyone make a noise on that level before."

Smith earlier upset seeded players Pam Shriver and Rosalyn Fairbank to advance to the tournament semifinals.

### 64, and Dave Rummells, who posted a 67 for his 199

ipe felt right at home and it paid off in a round of 64 yesterday that gave him the lead after 54 holes of the \$400,000 Southern Open golf tournament. The six-under-par round gave the 36-year-old Canipe a three-day total of 198, 12-under-par over

COLUMBUS, Ga., Sept 26, (Reuter): David Can-

the Green Island Country Club. One stroke back were Jay Haas, who also shot a

Canipe had six birdies in a bogey-free round. Four birdies came on rather long putts — from 40 feet, 30 feet, 20 feet and 15 feet.

"My concentration has been good," said Canipe, who is looking for his first PGA Tour victory. "I'm comfortable playing in the south, since I was born and raised in North Carolina and went to the University of Georgia.'

Haas, a former Ryder Cup player who has won seven times on the tour, finished with a flourish as he birdied five of his last six holes.

Rummells, also seeking his first win, said he had one of his better ball-striking rounds but was frustrated with his putter. Still, he managed four birdies against a lone bogey.

Hirase triumphs

MATSUSHIMACHO, Japan,

Sept 24, (AP): Mayumi Hirase chipped in a birdie on the final

hole today for the first victory of

her two-year pro career, one shot

ahead of Taiwan's Tu Ai-Yu in

the rain-shortened Miyagi TV

Cup women's open golf tour-

The 19-year-old Hirase started

the final round one shot behind

Tu. After a double bogey on the

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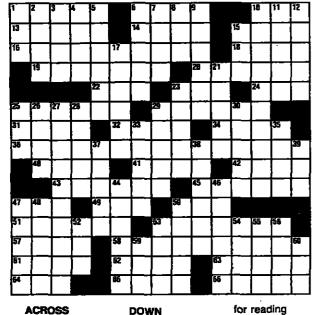
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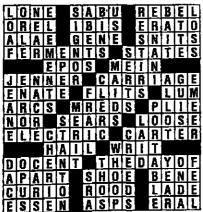
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Canipe takes Southern Open lead

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If you follow the rubrics in deciding how to tackle a hand, you will sometimes find yourself facing conflicting ideas. For instance, how would you tackle the trump suit here. Should you first lead toward the short trump hand, or toward the hand with two honors? At the right time, both approaches have their merits. In this case, however, forget about bromides and use common sense.

Opening lead: Jack of ◊

While there is something unpalatable about opening with a demand top honors, South has a three-loser hand and to open anything else could lead to impossible problems later. When North raised and Blackwood elicited the information that an ace was missing, declarer decided to gamble that partner held one of the high spades for the three-spade

After winning the diamond in hand, declarer should have no problem about how to go about making his contract. There is no loser in the plain suits, so only a 4-0 trump break could endanger the contract. With a reasonable amount of care, declarer can nullify that distribution no matter which defender has the long trumps. Declarer should lead the queen of

spades to the second trick. If the cards lie as in the diagram and West wins the ace, East will show out on the first trump. So declarer comes to hand as soon as he can and runs the nine of trumps for the marked finesse. If West shows out on the first round of trumps, declarer can get to dummy with the ace of hearts for the marked finesse against the ten. Either way, declarer can lose no more than one trump trick.

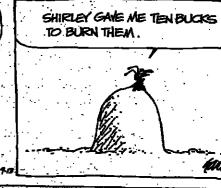


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### YOUR STARS



Aries (March 20 - April 18) You will at first not be quite sure of yourself, but will soon regain your self-confidence. Your hicky numbers are 14 and 28. A good day on which to settle an old grudge. Do not neglect an infection. Be



You will not be in the best of moods and should do your utmost to avoid picking a qurrel. Take your mind off work for the day. Try to exercise more self-control. Be reasonable.



Gemini (May 20 - June 20)

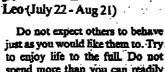
You will find it easier to sympathise with those around you and they will appreciate it. Do not expect a lot for little or nothing: Do your best to adapt yourself to change. Be belpful.



Cancer (June 21 - July 21) The general situation is complex and you should look out for snags that are not easily apparent. You will be able to deal better with an abiding problem. Keep your spirits



high. Be tactful.



just as you would like them to. Try to enjoy life to the full. Do not spend more than you can readily afford.Be cordial.



Virgo (Aug 22 - Sept 21)

You should avoid being lazy. The general situation is better than you had feared. There is good reason for optimism but none for comolacency. Be tactful.

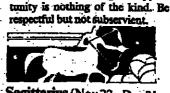


Libra (Sept 22 - Oct. 22)

The situation will start with some bad omens, but they will not come to cass. You should getting into an argument. Try not to dwell on the pastand do not indulge in too many daydreams. Be moderate.

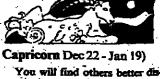


Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov. 21) You will feel somewhat out of sorts and should avoid exaggerations. Do not try to do too many things at one and the same time. What seemed like a good oppor-



Sagittarius (Nov 22 - Dec 21

You would be wrong to expect something for nothing. Avoid losmg your temper if at all possible. Make do and mend only if nothing electrical is involved. Be sincere.



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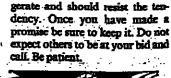
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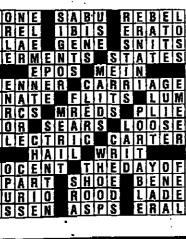
You will be inclined to exag-





Pisces (Feb 19 - March 19) This will be an interesting day for

you. Keep your head and spirits high, but avoid just hoping everything will be for the best. Do not leave valuable items lying around. Be alert.



### **Lions maul** Socials C.C. in opener

EANKA Lions Cricket Club (Jamal Al Ghanim Est) penned their winter 1989/90 season with a resounding 47-run win over Socials C.C. in a GCL ricket match at the EPI grounds on Friday.

Lions, who opted to bat after withing the toss, started positively with a brisk 33 for the first wicket in 6 overs before hideen was out for 14. At the other end Nihal Ranatunga played super bly and featured in a number of useful stands with Namal 15, Dhammika 12 Perusinghe 16 and Ray Fernando 11.

Nihal was the sixth out with the total reading 132 for a per-sonal score of 64 which contained 4 powerfully struck houndaries. His innings was a perfect mixture of defence and ion and his driving off the front foot in particular left

fielders gaping.
In the allotted 30 overs, the Lious managed 160 for 8 wickers which proved ample for their bowlers. Dhammika and Spirith bowled tidy openning spells with Sujith in particular troubling all the batsmen with is pace and hostility, taking 2 for 18 in 6 overs.

Mahinda bowled 6 overs of eff-arm spin to capture two for 32 and Chula chipped in with 1 for 25 as Social managed only 113. The feature of this innings was the quality of the Lions fielding which earned them 5 rankouts with Sujith and Chula excelling with their throws

from the deep.
There were also 3 catches by skipper Perusinghe, Mahinda and Dhammika. For Social C.C. Prashant, Sarfraz, Darrel and Jackson scored 19, 22, 21

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and 14 respectively.

Lanka Lions C.C. are fresh from a very successful summer season with GCL in which they emerged as runners-up for the second time running. In their final match, they defeated the ultimate champions — MCC-comprehensively.

Batting first, Lions scored 120 for 6 wickets in 17 overs thanks to two masterly knocks from Nihal Ranatungs 41 and Ranil Silva 48. But the feature of the match was a hat-trick performed by Mahinda Wijegunawardene which reduced MCC to 94 for 8 by the end. Iqual was the only bats-man to offer any resistance with

Aunese dies mer University of Colorado quarterback Sal Annese died of

cancer last night. He was 21. "Sal died a peaceful death without pain," Dr Wayne Gersoff, the attending physician, told a news conference called less than two hours after Aunese's death. "He was a tremendous. warrior and put up one of the greatest fights anyone could

imagine. Unfortunately, the fight had to come to an end." Colorado coach Bill McCart-ney had visited Aunese earlier in

the evening.
Dave Plati, Colorado Sports Information director, said McCarmey "did talk to the team after practice today and told them Sai's condition had worsened and he might not make it."

## Crabb wins inaugural Stockholm City Mile

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Sept 24, (AP): Steve Crabb kicked strongly down the stretch to mark yesterday's inaugural Stockholm City Mile ahead of fellow Briton Mark Rowland in one of downtown Stockholm's main streets.

Crabb, who was among the leaders

throughout the race, had a relatively slow winning time of 4 minutes, 11.6 seconds. Rowland, an Olympic bronze medallist in the 3,000-metre steeplechase last year, was two tenths of a second behind.

Jim Spivey, one of the United States' top milers and renowned for his finishing kick, was unable to challenge the two Britons and had to settle with third in 4:12.2. Crabb, 25, has competed in several

street races before, including the Westminster Mile in London, but this one was different.

"It was tougher because there were so

Crabb said.

Jari Vanelainen of Finland placed fourth in 4:12.5. Billy Konchellah of Kenya, the 1987 world 800-metre champion, finished a disappointing 10th in

## Indians scalp Angels

### Brewers trounce Blue Jays

NEW YORK, Sept 24, (AP): The California Angels, aware that Oakland had lost to Minnesota, squandered a chance to gain ground in the American League West yesterday by losing a dou-ble-header to the Cleveland Indians and falling 4-1/2 games

The Angels blew the opener 4-3 when reliever Greg Minton walked home the winning run to

PARIS, Sept 24, (Reuter): Mar-seille's summer signings Enzo Francescoli and Chris Waddle

were on target for the French

double winners yesterday in a 4-0

defeat of Toulon as their main

Uruguayan Francescoli scored in the eighth and 86th

minutes and Briton Waddle in

the 39th after France's leading soccer Jean-Pierre Papin opened

title rivals crashed.

cap Cleveland's two-run eighth-inning raily and dropped the nightcap 6-2 when Tom Can-diotti held them to seven hits, retiring 14 consecutive batters from the second to the seventh

Twins 5, Athletics 3 Randy Bush equalled his career-high of 14 home runs with a two-run shot that put Min-



and Allan Anderson struggled through five shaky innings for his career-high 17th victory.

The loss snapped the Athletics' five-game winning streak but they still gained one-half game on California and lead the Angels by 4-1/2 in the Al West.

Red Sox 6, Tigers 1 Danny Heep's bases-loaded single in the first inning drove in two runs and Boston extended its winning streak over Detroit to

Winner Mike Boddicker, who was 0-6 in his previous seven starts at Tiger Stadium dating back to Sept 4, 1984, gave up five hits and five walks in 6-1/3 innings, including Matt Nokes' third-inning homer. Detroit rookie Kevin Ritz was tagged for three runs and nine hits in 3-1/3 innings.

Brewers 4, Blue Jays 1 Paul Molitor and B.J. Surhoff homered and Terry Francona drove in two runs and Milwaukee staved off elmination in the Al East Toronto's lead over second-place Baltimore, which played at night, was reduced to 1-1/2 games with seven games left. Marseille hit four goals

Waddle laid on both of the first

two goals before scoring the third

Results

Marseille Toulouse

Auxerre Nantes

transfer fee in Toulon.

The third-place Brewers are 6-1,2 out with eight remaining Molitor hit his 10th homer in the first inning and singles by Gary Sheffield and Glenn Braggs and Francona's sacrifice fly

made it 2-0 in the second. Orioles 10, Yankees 2 Bob Milacki wen his fourth consecutive decision and the Bal-timore Orioles pulled back within one game of the American League East lead, beating the

New York Yankees. On an evening when temperatures fell into the 40s, the Orioles won for the fifth time in seven games and moved closer to first-place Toronto, including three next weekend in Toronto.

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Enzo Francescoli

### Nice Mulbouse Metz Lyon the floodgates with a fifth minute slot into the team well and made a goal sizeable repayment on his huge Johnson bides time quietly

Marseille's 4-0 away win lifted

them to second place above Paris St Germain, beaten 3-1 by strug-

gling Cannes. The southerners

are on 16 points, one point behind leaders Bordeaux who

lost 2-0 in Monaco on Friday,

million francs (\$7 million) from

Tottenham this summer looked

extravagant but he has started to

The signing of Waddle for 45

with a game in hand.

journalists waited impatiently for the world's fastest human to arrive for his news conference after winning the 100 metres Olympics gold medal in a world record time of

Now, after a year of disgrace, Ben Johnson keeps mainly to himself but has a message he wants to deliver to the

"I want to tell them to be honest." Johnson told Can-adian Press, the national news agency, recently. "Don't takedrugs. It happened to me. I've been there. I know what

Johnson's Scoul Olympics urine test revealed the presence of the anabolic steroid stanazolol. He was stripped of his gold medal and suspended from international

Since then, the shy Jamaican-born sprinter, whose case spawned a federal inquiry into drug use in sport, has been through an emotional upheaval in the wake of the biggest

drug scandal in amateur sport.

The International Amateur Athletic Federation dealt
Johnson another crushing blow on September 5 when it
voted to strip him of his 1987 world record of 9.83 seconds.

As in the case of the Olympic gold, the record went to Johnson's bitter riva!, Carl Lewis. In May, a charge was filed against a man who was Toronto bistro. The incident left Johnson with a broken

Liffe Racing Paris

tooth and swollen jaw.

One month ago, Johnson was given a conditional discharge and placed or prabation for one year after pleading guilty to assault. That charge stemmed from an incident in which Johnson pointed a starter's pistol at another motor-ist on a Toronto highway two weeks after he returned from

"A certain degree of compassion must go to Mr Johnson," the judge said in handing down the sentence.

Asked recently about his life now, Johnson cited a

"If I've lost friends now, they were friends i didn't need," he said. "In Jamaica, we say there are two types of friends — the ones who help you plant trees and the ones who just come to sit under them."

Those closest to him are hurdler Mark McKoy and sprinter Desai Williams. Last month, a tuxedo-ciad Johnson served as an usher at Williams' wedding.

Johnson looks trim and fit and his physical appearance has changed little since Scoul.

He maintains 175 pounds (79.4 kg) on his five-foot nineinch (1.75 m) frame and is still capable of bench-pressing 420 pounds (190.5 kg) and can squat lift 660 pounds (299.4 kg).

### Yuh retains **WBA** crown

SEOUL, Sept 24, (Reuter): outh Korea Woo floored Japanese Taiho Kenbun four times to keep his World Boxing Association (WBA) junior-flyweight championship with an Ilth-round

knockout victory today. The scheduled 12-rounder at Suanbo, central South Korea,

was over 48 seconds into the 11th. The 25-year-old challenger began strongly with fleet-footed attacks, jabbing effectively and scoring with straight left and rights in the first three rounds.

But then Yuh, making the 13th defence of the title he took from Joey Olivo of the United States in December 1985, began boring in like a bulldozer, sending Taiho to the floor in the seventh, ninth and 10th rounds before finishing him off in the next

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### Elliott and Ivan take top spots

NEW YORK, Sept 24, (UPI): The Mercedes Mile on Fifth Avenue this year held special sig-nificance for Peter Elliott, who a year ago watched the race from a hospital bed instead of defending

The Briton yesterday made up for last year's absence by winning the race handily in 3 minutes, 52,95 seconds and earning a luxury car in the process. Elliott, plagued by injuries since the end of the 1988 Olympics, defeated Abdi Bile of Somalia, the season's dominant miler on the track. UK Olympian Jeff Atkinson was third.

As a two-time champion, Elliott will receive a Mercedes-Benz from the sponsor.

Paula Ivan, the Olympic 1,500 champion from Romania, also won a Mercedes for becoming a dual winner in the women's mile. Ivan, who at 26 is establishing herself as the world's dominant woman middle distant runner. won her race in 4:28.25. Svetlana Kitova of the Soviet Union was second in 4:29.61 and Christina Cahill of Britain was third in

### **COLLEGE FOOTBALL**

### **Notre Dame hold** on for 21-13 win

football players were appropriately grateful.

"The second half, I was getting kind of nervous," Irish defensive tackle Chris

Zorich said. "Our offense kept giving up he ball, and I was standing on the sidelines praying."

The top-ranked Irish squandered most of a 14-0 lead, allowing 13 Michigan

State points on three of their four turnovers, then got a fourth-quarter louch-down run of 1 yard from Anthony Johnson for the 21-13 victory.

In other games involving ranked teams, it was No. 2 Miami 38, Missouri 7; No. 7 Clemson 31, Maryland 7; No. 9 West Virginia 30, Louisville 21; No. 12 Southern Cal 42, No. 25 Ohio State 3; No. 15 Alabama 15, Kentucky 3; No. 18 North Carolina State 40, North Carolina 5, No. 18 Alabama 15, Kentucky 3; No. 18

North Carolina State 40. North Carolina 6; No. 19 Washington State 29, Wyoming 23; No. 20 Illinois 41, Utah State 2, and Stanford 18, No. 22 Oregon

In early night games, it was No. 3 Nebraska 48, Minnesota 0; No. 8 Arkansas 24. Mississippi 17 and No. 13 Pittsburgh 30, No. 10 Syracuse 23.

In late games, it was No. 5 Michigan 24, No. 24 UCLA 23; No. 23 Arizona 20, No. 11 Washington 17, and No. 17 Houston 36, Arizona State 7.

No 1 Notre Dame 21. Michigan St. 13

Notre Dame score on two first-half runs by Ricky Watters, including a 53-yarder, and held on to beat Michigan State.

No. 2 Miam; 38 Microus 7.

No. 2 Miami 38. Missouri 7
Craig Erickson threw for 357 yards, and Maurice Crum returned one of Miami's six interceptions 30 yards for a touchdown, sparking the Hurricanes over Missouri. Erickson threw one touchdown pass, a 30-yarder to Rod Chudzinski, and ran 6 yards for another score.

No. 3 Nebraska 48 Minnesota 0

Man Clark and 18 sings for 100 under and two touchdown as Nebraska.

Ken Clark ran 18 times for 100 yards and two touchdowns as Nebraska continued its 27-year domination of the Minnesota Gophers.

No. 5 Michigan 24, No. 24 UCLA 23

J.D. Carlson's fourth field goal of the game, a 24-yarder with one second left, boosted Michigan over UCLA. No 7 Clemson 31 Maryland 7

Trailing for the first time this season, 7-3 late in the first quarter, Clemson scored three touchdowns in the second, sparked by Mitch Belton's blocked punt. Wesley McFadden scored two of the touchdowns on runs of 6 and 12

Freshman E.D. Jackson powered over twice from short yardage to spark Arkansas over Mississippi. Rebel quarterback John Darnell engineered a final-

minutes drive only to have his pass into the end zone picked off by Anthony Cooney, his second interception of the night.

No 9 W. Virginia 30, Louisville 21
West Virginia trailed until Eugene Napoleon's two touchdowns in the final three minutes enabled the Mountaineers to escape from Louisville and its record crowd with the victory.

### Casuals players warm up

CASUALS Cricket Club warmed up for the new season with the Captain's team vs. Vice-Captain's team match at Ahmadi on

This season sees Simon Clements at the helm of the club and he began his campaign in style by defeating a more favoured team led by Ron Seward. Clements team was given a flying start by Kevin Wells who cracked 30 off 25 balls including 6 boundaries before

Clements himself and Andrew Pinho also scored undefeated 30's to build a score of 134 in the 20 overs allotted. Both players looked comfortable against the bowling of Adi Selveratnam, Richard Snowden, Ron Seward and Doug Francis and promise a strong batting line up for the

In reply the vice-captain's team started more cautiously as

Val Tudball and Nigel Tatham

looked to build an innings. When the spin attack of Kevin Winstone and Peter Bond removed the pair, Seward himself came in and looked set to score freely before being well caught by Clements behind the stumps off Wells. John Arton-Powell showed a depth of batting strokes but was finally unable, despite some big hitting by Selveratnam, to close the scores by the close of play. As a result the Captain's team ran out win-

# The sign of good taste



Made in England

## Organisers abandon Piston-Broke race

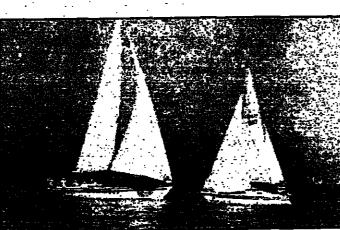
KOSA had a big day on Friday. The annual Piston-Broke race was held in the morning followed by an Open-Day and evening

The Piston-Broke race is traditionally scheduled as a pursuit race; boats start according to their handicaps which meant that for a 2-hour race, Whispering (24 feet) started first at 10:00 am and Danat (40 feet) started 15 minutes later. The remainder of the fleet started between these two boats. If all boats sail to their true ability then theoretically, they should all finish at the same time.

The race which began in front of Shaab in light 6-8 knot Northly winds was designed as a seven leg course; beat to windward mark, reach to bell buoy, run to fish cages, reach to ODM (start line). beat to windward, run to fish cages and finally a reach to finish. The Kosa Racing Committee

was pleased to see that seven boats had entered the event. Whispering, with skipper Tony White at the helm started first. She was followed by Why Not (18 seconds later), Magic Flute (2 minute 10 seconds), Shammal (3 minutes 30 seconds), Lemons (6 minutes) Gambit (6 minutes 30 seconds) and Danat (15 minutes).

Most boats crossed the start line on a starboard tack and beat mshore towards Green Island. After running out of water boats tacked onto port to close-in on the windward mark. Shammal, Magic Flute and Gambit converged on each other and after two more tacks Gambit sailed clear ahead and rounded the windward



'Danat' (left) cruises by 'Whispering' during pre-start manoeuvres.

This leg proved to be too shy for a spinnaker, being about 50-60° off the wind direction. Gambit, sailing with its Number One Light Genoa opened up a big lead as the breeze began to drop. Magic Flute flew a cruising shute and Shammal decided to fly a spinnaker and

sail a lower course. After sailing to within one mile of the three mile leg to bell buoy the breeze completely disappeared. The flect's attempt to round the bell mark proved futile for the scond week in a row. The race committee had no choice but to abandon the race 10 minutes befor the expiry of the two-hour

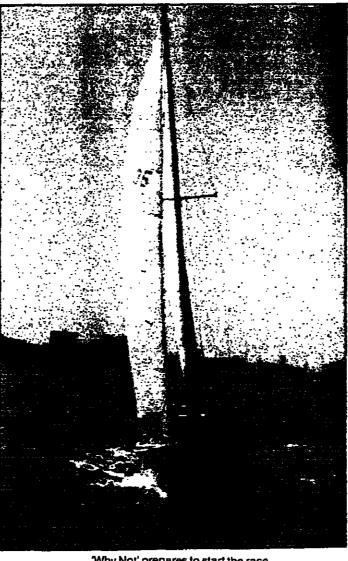
Kosa's Open-Day was held later that afternoon. About 30 to 40 people turned up at the dock and were welcomed aboard the various Kosa boats. The afternoon weather was lead for cruising - a constant 7-10 knots breeze.

People who were sailing for the first time had a thoroughly enjoyable experience. As a result most boats benefited by signing up new crew. Later that evening, everyone got together for a BBO at the Shaab Marina.

The United Arab Shipping Company (UASC) will be sponsoring their annual Maritime race next Friday (29 September) followed by lunch for Kosa members.

### Danat returns

The UASC boat Danat has been welcomed back to the Kosa racing fleet after a 12 month absence. Kosa is most grateful to the UASC management for its decision to allow its yacht to participate. Danat will be skippered by Greg Tom, a former Sydney Harbour sailor and crewed by UASC staff and other Kosa mem-



'Why Not' prepares to start the race.

Greece, it said. **Cyprus Raliv** 

NICOSIA, Sept 24, (Reuter): Yves Loubet of France clinched the European Motor Rallying Championship today when he drove his Lancia Integrale to a 13-second victory in the three-day Cyprus Rally. Spanish Open

on a Turkish Airlines flight from

MADRID, Sept 24, (UPI): Ecuador's Andres Gomez swept to a straight sets 6-4, 6-4, 6-2, victory over Austrian Horst Skoff today in the final of the Spanish Open tennis

Transfer fee

BERN, Switzerland, Sept 24, (AP): Europe's soccer authority UEFA said yesterday the French team Racing Club Strasbourg must pay West Germany's FC Koeln three million Swiss francs (\$1.8 million) for the transfer of Tomas Allofs. Late penalty

MADRID, Sept 24, (Reuter): A later penalty by Atletico Madrid's Brazilian striker Baltazar cost Sevilla first place in the Spanish League last night. The 86th minute spot kick was awarded when Fernando Munoz

**PSV** triumph AMSTERDAM, Sept 24, (Reuter): Dutch champions PSV Eindhoven hit four goals in six minutes during a 9-1 demolition of Sparta Rotterdam

**English soccer** LONDON, Sept 24, (Reuter): Sunderland and Newcastledrew 0-0 in an English Football League Division Two soccer match today Asian volleyball

SEOUL, Sept 24, (Reuter): Results at the fifth Asian Men's Volleyball Championship today: Final: South Korea beat Japan 3-0 (15-16 15-9 15-13). Third-place playoff: China beat Pakistan 3-2 (13-15 15-11 15-10 13-

Woodhall wins MOSCOW, Sept 24, (AP): Britain's Richard Woodhall fought aggressively today to output Cuba's Jose Luis Hernandez 24-17 in the 71kilogramme (156-pound) class at the World Amateur Boxing Championships. Woodhall stopped Hernandez

for standing eight counts in the second and third rounds, countering the Cuban's wild jabs with straight **Brumfield guits** 

LEXINGTON, Kentucky, Sept 24, (AP): Don Brumfield, who rode Kauai King to victory in the Kentucky Derby and the Preakness in 1966, says he is retiring after 35 years as a jockey. "I thought this was the time to do it," said Brumfield, 51.

Cycling race

LUGO, Italy, Sept 24, (UPI):Maximilian Sciandri. 22-year-old new hope of Italian cycling, won the 64th Tour of Romagna yesterday, cover-ing the 234 undulating kilometres starting at ending in Lugo, in north-eastern Italy, in 6 hours 4 minutes 12 seconds at an average speed of 38.550

Italian soccer

ROME, Sept 24, (Reuter): Results of Italian First Division soccer matches

Lecce AC Milan

Udinese Fiorentina **Auto race** 

SUZUKA, Japan, Sept 24, (AP): Hitoshi Ogawa of Japan drove his Lola T89-50 to victory today in an F-3000 auto race, beating American Ross Cheever by about 13 seconds in

the Suzuka Great 20 Drivers Race. Jun classic OGAWACHO, Japan, Sept 24, (AP): Tateo Ozaki caught up with his brother Naomichi with a six-under-

par 66 final round today and beat him in a sudden-death playoff in the 70 million yen (\$483,000) Gene Sarazen Jun Classic golf tour-

**Brave fight** 

PARIS, Sept 24, (Reuter): Sixteen-year-old Italian tennis prospect Cathy Caverzasio put up a brave fight before falling to sixth seed Regina Rajchrtova of Cze-choslovakia in the semifinals of the \$100,000 Paris women's tournament yesterday.

Chinese swimmer

HONG KONG, Sept 24, (AP): An international organisation fighting for democracy in China said today Taiwan has agreed to grant political asylum to a top Chinese swimmer who has been arrested by Hong Kong authorities. The New Yorkbased Chinese alliance for democracy has sent a letter to Hong Kong Governor Sir David Wilson, asking to hold the repatriation of 20-year-old Yang Yang so that he can make arrangements to go to Taiwan.

TV rights GENEVA, Sept 24, (Reuter): The European Football Union (UEFA) and the European Broadcasting Union (EBU) have signed contracts worth 86 million Swiss francs (\$51.6 million) for the television rights of top competitions from 1991 to 1996.

## Europe hold US to retain Ryder Cup

SUTTON COLDFIELD, England, Sept 24, (Reuter): Europe made sure of keeping the Ryder Cup when they held the United States to a 14-14 draw.

The Europeans, down and virtually out for much of the final day, won five of the first eight singles matches completed, four of them on the final hole as the Americans appeared to crack

The other four matches were won by the

ESTORIL, Portugal, Sept 24, (Reuter): Austrian Gerhard Ber-

ger won a dramatic Portuguese Grand Prix today but his triumph was overshadowed by a

mid-race crash involving world

champion Ayrton Senna and

his first victory since last year's Italian Grand Prix but this vic-

tory was marred by the ugly scenes which dominated the

Briton Mansell was shown the

black flag after 46 laps but

ignored it and collided with

Brazilian Senna on the 48th lap

as they jostled for the best line of

Both cars were damaged as they slid off the circuit but

neither driver was hurt and their

collision effectively ended a thrilling charge for victory, leav-

ing Berger a comfortable drive to

Berger won in one hour 36

Frenchman Alain Prost in a

McLaren finished second to

boost his world championship

lead and leave Senna requiring a

near miracle in the last three

Sweden's Stefan Johansson

was third in an Onyx and Italian

Alessandro Nannini fourth in a

races if he is to reclaim his title.

minutes 48.546 seconds.

entry into a corner.

Berger, in a Ferrari, claimed

Nigel Mansell.

afternoon.

the flag.

United States but Europe, as the holders, kept

"An hour ago I though all was lost," said European captain Tony Jacklin, in charge of the team for all three of their Ryder Cup victories.

On those closing holes, the pressure is incredible and anyone can crack, even the Americans." Jose-Maria Canizares of Spain had the honour of holing the putt that ensured Europe would keep the trophy, which they won for the

Belfry four years ago. Canizares sunk a putt from four feet at the

18th to best Ken Green. There were other wins for Europe by Jose-Maria Olazabal of Spain over Payne Steward, Ronan Rafferty of Britain over British Open champion Mark Calcavecchia, Mark James of Britain over Mark O'Meara and Christy O'Connor Jar of Ireland over Fred Couples.

Olazabai, Rafferty, O'Connor and Canizares all won on the final hole. Europe, taking a 9-7 advantage into the final day, needed five points from the 12 singles,

For the United States, Paul Azinger beat Seve Ballesteros by one hole when the Spaniard fluf-fed his approach at the last. Tom Kite had a crushing 8 and 7 win over Howard Clark and Chip Beck beat Bernhard Langer of West Ger-

## Berger wins Portuguese GP

### Mansell collides with Senna



Berger on his way to victory.

Frenchman because Formula One rules allow only a driver's 11 best results of the year to count. But it lifted him 24 points clear of Senna in the championship with three races remaining.

Italian Pierluigi Martini finished fifth in a Minardi ahead of

Briton Jonathan Palmer in a Tyrrell.

Prost's second place was worth just four points to the Berger was leading by only

four seconds in a closely-fought race when Mansell and Senna

collided. Mansell, in third place, overtook second-placed Senna on the straight after he had been shown the black flag for the third successive lap.

He went by on the inside but Senna would not let him through and attempted to hold his line into the corner. Senna's McLaren went across the front of Mansell's car and both flew off the circuit.

Mansell was told to see the

stewards and charged angrily to the control tower without speaking. Senna walked into the McLaren garage also without speaking.

Results (71 laps totalling 308.850 kms

191.910 miles) 1. Gerhard Berger, Austria, Ferrari, 1 hour 36 minutes 48.546 seconds, average speed 191.418 kph, 2. Alain Prost, Fance,

McLaren, 1:37:21.183, 3. Stefan Johansson, Sweden, Onyx, 1:37:43.871, 4. Alessandro Nannini, Italy, Benetton, 1:38: 10.915, 5: Piere Lingi Martini, Italy, Minardi, one lap behind, 6. Jonathan Palmer, Britain, Tyrrell, one lap.

. Standings

World Drivers' Championship stand 

Nelson Piquet (Brazil)
 Equal, Michele Alboreto (Italy)
 Eddie Cheever (US)
 Detek Warwick (Britain)

Stefan Johansson (Sweden

Alex Caffi (Italy)
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Bquai: Rene Arnoux (Fracace)
Martin Brundle (Britain)

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Jonathan Palmer (Britain)

24. Equal: Gabriele Tarquini (Italy)

Olivier Grouillard (France)

Lnis Perez Sala (Spain)

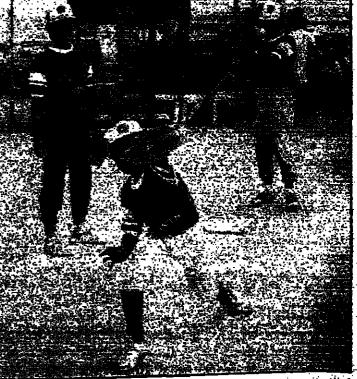
Note: Prost loses the two points he scored in the Mexican Grand Prix as today's race gave him his 12th finish in the top six. Only 11 can count in the standings.

World Constructors' Championship:

1. McLaren: 128 points, 2 Ferrari: 53, 3.

Williams: 52, 4. Benetton: 22, 5. Tyrrell:

13. 6. Arrows: 12, 7. Lotus: 9, 8. Dallara: 8, 9. Equal Onyx. Brabham: 6, 11. Minardi: 5, 12. March: 4, 13. Equal, Rizal, Ligier: 3, 15. AGS: 1.



An action shot from last season's game.

### Little League season to start on October 27

THE Kuwait Little League Baseball Association will begin its 1989/90 season on October 27.

The League is divided into four divisions: Tee-ball for six to eight-

year-olds; and Senior League for teen-agers thirteen to fifteen-year-

Registration is currently taking place, and tryouts will be held this weekend at the Baseball Grounds near the Highway Patrol Department on Sixth Ring Road. Youngsters aged 12, 3:30-6:30 pm. Children 8 through 11 will try out on Friday, September, 29 from 8:00-10:00 am. Six and seven-year-olds only need to complete registration forms. The purpose of Little League is to promote teamwork, co-operation and self-confidence in our children as well as developing athletic skills.

The League is run by parents and other adults volunteers. Anyone willing to coach, umpire or keep score during games is encouraged to participate. Sponsors are also needed to help support the League this

Suleiman Sakhleh, the president of the League, is enthusiastic about this year's programme, which begins next month and will continue until March, 1990. The teams will be selected in early October and practice sessions will be scheduled shortly after. The games are held each Friday, with practices held during the week. Little League is open to everyone interested in baseball Experience is not necessary. Over 200 children of many different nationalities are expected to participate.

This year the League hopes to initiate international competition with

teams from neighbouring countries.

If you're interested in becoming a part of this organisation, please attend tryouts this weekend.



medals. (Reuter wirephoto)

### Botev wins as rivals fail

ATHENS, Sept 24, (Reuter): Bulgarian soldier Stefan Botev unexpectedly won a fourth title for his country yesterday as his main rivals faltered at the World Weightlifting Champions.

The duel for the heavyweight

(up to 110 kg) crown had looked likely to be between triple world and 1988 Olympic champion Yuri Zacharevich of the Soviet Union and East German double junior world champion Ronny

They lived up to expectations

in the snatch, both lifting 202.5

But in the jerk they opted for what proved to be suicidal tac-

This left the delighted Botev comfortably in command with a lift of 222.5 kg to add to his snatch of 185 kg. The relaxed 21-year-old Bul-

garian proved his mettle by lifting 242.5 kg in the end to complete a winning total of 427.5.

### China defeat S.Korea for

BELJING, Sept 24, (AP): China broke open the game with a second half blitz and crushed South Korea 102-72 today. defending its title in the 15th Asian Men's Basketball Championships.

The Chinese, leading 61-51 with 13 minutes to play, exploded for 17 straight points, ending the Koreans' upset bid. Wang Fei was China's top

scorer with 31 points, including 4 of 19 from the field. Ma Jian added 16 for the Chinese. The Koreans were paced by Kim Yoo-Tack with 24.

Japan, saw their long shooting fail against China's aggressive defence, with only 3 of 163-point attempts going through the

top scorer was Akira Rikukawa

deficit to outrun India 101-79.

In the third-place game, Taiwan defeated Japan 69-58 after leading at halftime 33-31. Tseng Tseng-Chiu scored 21 points for Taiwan while Japan's

came back from a 42-38 halftime Saudi Arabia captured seventh place by defeating the Philippines 91-89 in overtime. The Philippines led at halftime

## **Asian title**

The South Koreans, who hit 12 of 24 from the 3-point zone in last night's semifinal victory over

Fifth place went to Iran, which

45-40, but the Saudis came back to tie the score 80-80 in regula-

### Entries open for mini-golf event

A MINI-GOLF tournament will be held at the Kuwait Entertainment City, Doha, grounds from Oct 1, according to Anwar Jassem who is the organiser of the event and also the director of the operation and marketing department at the Entertainment City. Anwar Jassem said that entries

are open for the event and the last date for registration is Sept 27. The course has a total of 18 holes with each hole having a number of obstacles to make the game interesting.

Teams will be of a maximum of two players each with two teams playing together at the same time. A maximum of four players will be allowed to play a hole at a It has been estimated that one

group (four players) will take 45

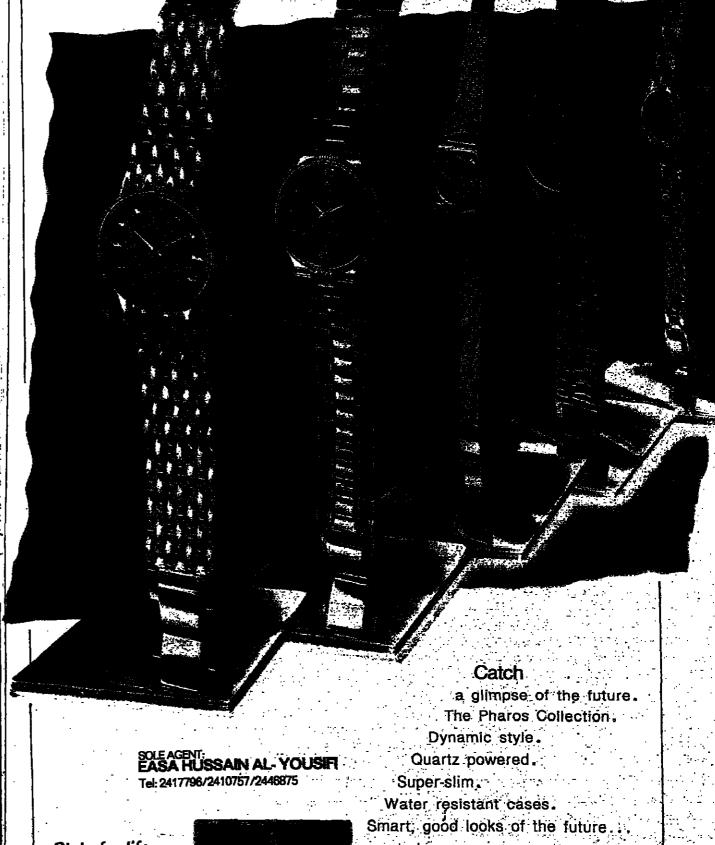
minutes to one hour to complete

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One of the holes on the mini-golf course.

two hours The par for each hole has already been decided and the rules for scoring are the same as for a normal golf game. In case of a tie, the match will be decided by a sudden-death-playoff over one



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